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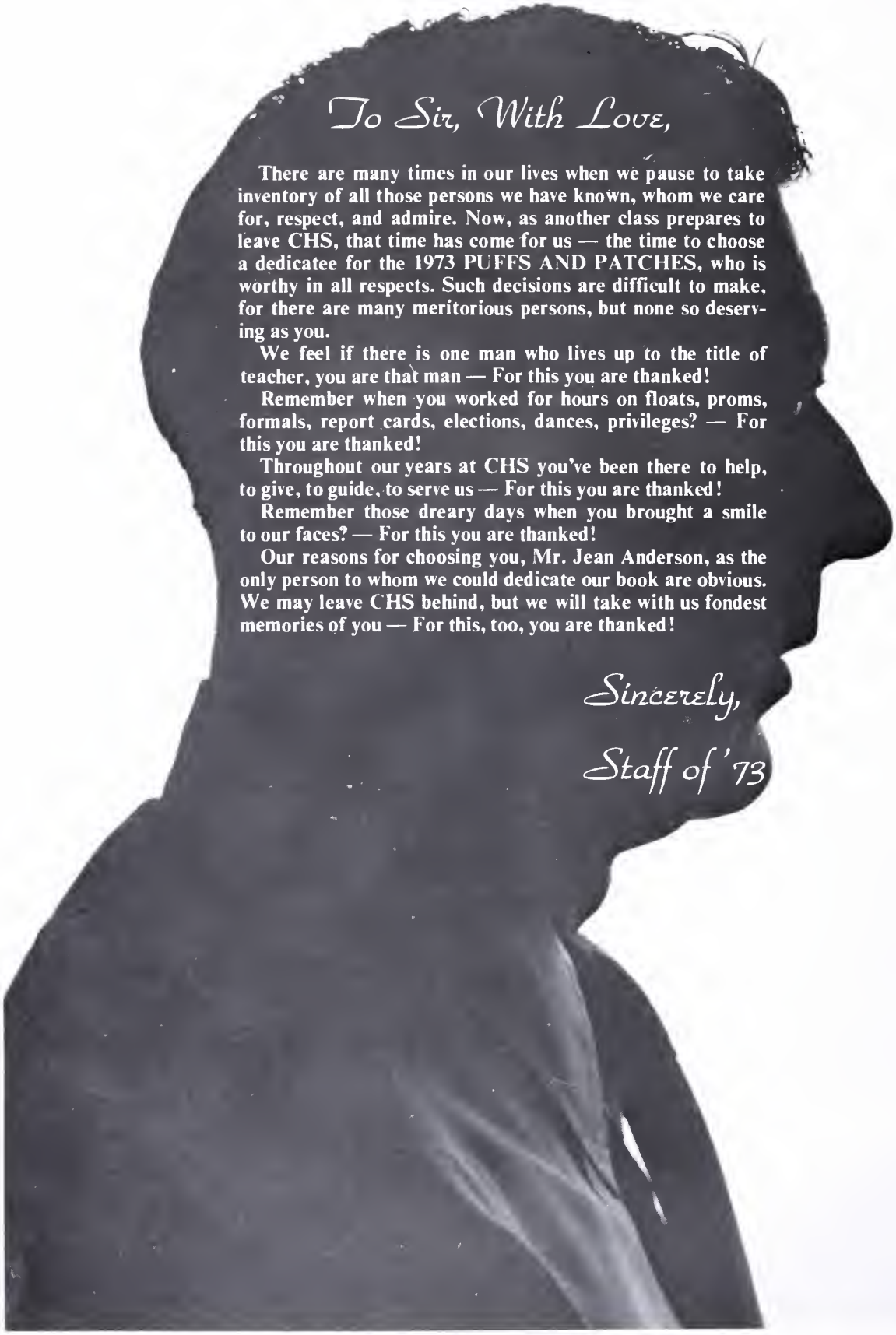
Mr. Jean Anderson — Who's



To Sir, With Love,

There are many times in our lives when we pause to take inventory of all those persons we have known, whom we care for, respect, and admire. Now, as another class prepares to leave CHS, that time has come for us — the time to choose a dedicatee for the 1973 PUFFS AND PATCHES, who is worthy in all respects. Such decisions are difficult to make, for there are many meritorious persons, but none so deserving as you.

We feel if there is one man who lives up to the title of teacher, you are that man — For this you are thanked!

Remember when you worked for hours on floats, proms, formals, report cards, elections, dances, privileges? — For this you are thanked!

Throughout our years at CHS you've been there to help, to give, to guide, to serve us — For this you are thanked!

Remember those dreary days when you brought a smile to our faces? — For this you are thanked!

Our reasons for choosing you, Mr. Jean Anderson, as the only person to whom we could dedicate our book are obvious. We may leave CHS behind, but we will take with us fondest memories of you — For this, too, you are thanked!

Sincerely,

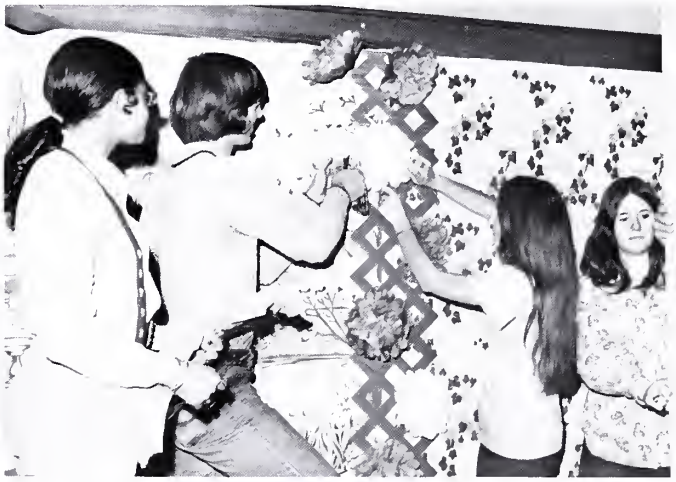
Staff of '73

Who Among Students In '73

WE LOVE YOU . . . Tears, smiles, and pride swell as Mr. Anderson accepts dedicatee gift.

HEY, PEOPLE . . . Mr. Anderson salutes his old homeroom each morning.

THIS MEETING WILL NOW COME TO ORDER . . . One of Mr. Anderson's many activities is presiding over CEA meetings.



REMEMBER WHEN YOU WORKED HOURS ON PROMS? . . . Mr. Anderson helped the Junior class prepare "Pieces of April" for the Class of '73.

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You've Got A Friend

When you're down and troubled,

and you need a helping hand . . .

Nothing is going right . . .

Close your eyes and think of me.
to brighten up your darkest times.

Soon I will be there

You just call out my name.

You know wherever I am . . .

I'll come running—

to see you again.

Winter, Spring, Summer, or Fall . . .

All you have to do is call . . .

I'll be there — you've got a friend.

If the sky above you should grow dark and full of clouds

And that old North Wind should begin to blow,

Keep your head together . . .

Call my name out loud . . .

Soon I'll be knocking on your door.

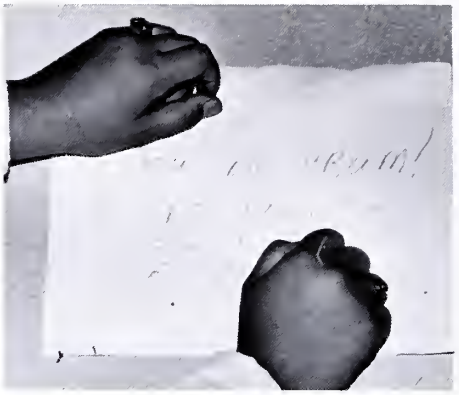
Ain't it good to know you've got a friend?

People can be so cold.

They'll hurt you

and desert you.

They'll take your soul if you let them — but don't you let them!



Covington High School is really a great place to be. It is a place where you can often be by yourself— but you are never alone. For instance, if you need a way to a ballgame, somebody will always make room for one more. If you need some money for lunch, the "gang" will chip in a nickel apiece. If your lover pulls out on you, there is always somebody else at a dance.

No, CHS is not a euphoria where everybody gets along perfectly with everybody else. Occasionally, girls argue over boys (and vice versa). Even more often, teachers and students get into a friendly, little brawl. But basically, the people here enjoy each other's company — each other's friendship. Indeed we all agree that Covington High School is a place where . . .

You've Got A Friend

FACULTY

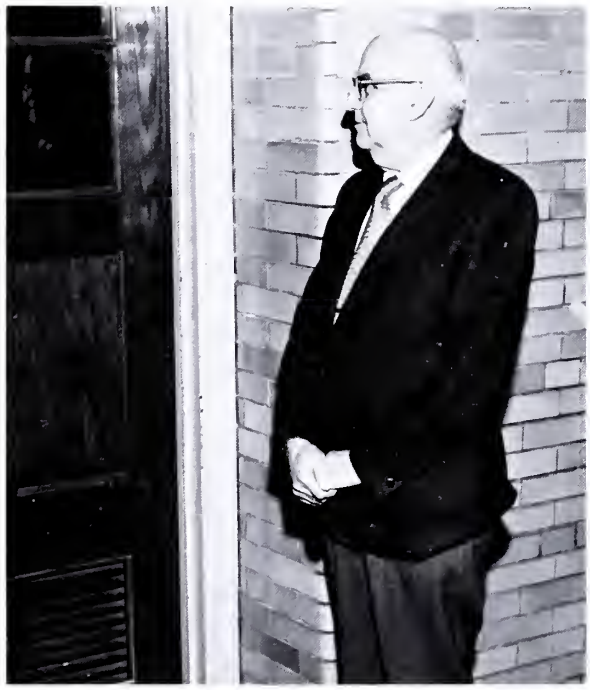
Administrative Heads Lead to New Horizons

Mr. Laughlin, Mr. Heretick, Mr. Trumbo, and Mr. Albert compose the administrative heads of CHS. Leadership, ability, understanding, and reliability describe aptly these four "in the know". Keeping CHS orderly and running smoothly is no easy job. To show individual concern for some 800 students and to make sure each decision is made in their best interest is a tremendous undertaking. In addition, there are other responsibilities such as making reports, keeping up with current trends, conducting meetings, and discussing problems with faculty and students.

Even though Mr. Laughlin and Mr. Heretick have offices away from the school, they are frequently seen in the halls and classes. Mr. Trumbo and Mr. Albert often make trips to the school board office; in fact, there is close and constant communication among all personnel in administration. Their many decisions deeply affect the students and teachers at CHS. Our thanks go out to these educators.

Whitney E. Trumbo
B.A., M.Ed.
Bridgewater College, University of Virginia; Principal.

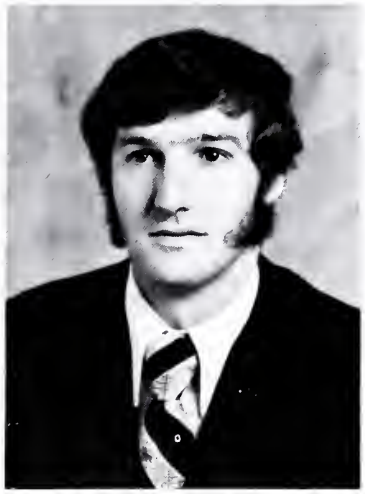
Francis J. "Boodie" Albert
B.S.
University of Notre Dame, Princeton University, University of Virginia; Assistant Principal, Head Football Coach, Head of Supervision and Administration.



FREQUENT VISITOR . . . Mr. Heretick often "looks in" on daily classes.

NO BULL-JIVE . . . Mr. Laughlin discusses current issues with the Public Speaking class.

Counselors Bend to Meet Situations



Richard Fuhrman
B.S., M.Ed.
Lincoln Memorial University, University of Virginia; Guidance; JV Basketball and Head Track Coach.

Mrs. Ruth C. Cvizic
B.S., M.Ed.
Concord College, University of Virginia; Guidance, English IVA; One-act Play.

George D. Hill, Jr.
B.S., M.Ed.
Alabama State Teachers College, Virginia Union University, Virginia State College, University of Virginia, University of Pennsylvania, Rensslear Polytechnic Institute; Director of Guidance; SCA Sponsor.

Our Guidance Department is the most flexible department at CHS. Mr. Hill, Mrs. Cvizic, and Mr. Fuhrman are constantly changing schedules, filing reports, and counseling students. In fact, every day is vastly different.

PICKING UP THE PIECES . . . Mr. Hill and Mrs. Cvizic are losing their minds over reports piling up.

This year a portion of the main office was converted into a guidance suite and a "browsing room" where students may seek information on colleges and trade schools. These new additions have given a professional air to our guidance services.

The three counselors make CHS a more enjoyable and happier place to be. Proper guidance, friendly smiles, and helpful hints are definite attributes of this department. Anyone who needs a friend knows "the suite" is the place to go.

DOUBLE TROUBLE . . . Mr. Fuhrman, also a Phys. Ed. instructor, pauses in the counseling room to hear A. Cottrell's problem.

Mrs. Virginia W. Blankenship
A.B.
Marshall University, University of Virginia, University of Maryland; English IAR, IIAR, Civics; Textbook Rental.

The opportunities for self-expression offered by the English Department are unlimited. The five years' analyses of grammar and mechanics give each student a thorough dose of this phase of English.

However, grammatical structure is not the only point stressed. All five years are packed with literature, contemporary and classic. Thus students, growing in appreciation for great pieces of literature, develop a taste for good books.

Of course, self-expression blossoms in composition. Again opportunities vary; all areas of composition are included in the writing program.

With varied offerings, boring English classes do not exist at CHS.

Mrs. Diane E. Caughron
B.A.
Lynchburg College, Eastern Illinois University, Madison College; English IIA, IVA; English Department Chairman.

Mrs. Carolyn S. O'Conner
B.A.
Emory and Henry College; English IIIA, VA; Ninth Grade Sponsor.

Mrs. Lynda R. Jennings
B.A.
Longwood College; English V, VA; Debate Club.

UGH! AH! OH! . . . V. Holloway, Mrs. Caughron, and B. Twitty discover the woes of acting.

Mrs. Betty C. Littleton
B.A.
Meredith College, University of Virginia; English III, IIIA, Public Speaking; Forensics Club.

Students Learn Communication Skills

Mrs. Jane T. Whiteside
B.A.
Radford College, University of Virginia; English IV, VA; Yearbook.

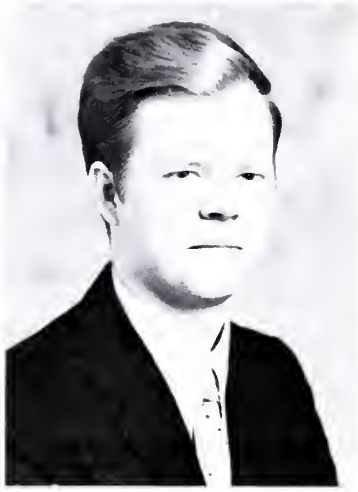
John L. Madison
A.A., B.A., M.Ed.
Mars Hill College, Wake Forest University, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, South Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary, University of Virginia; English II.

Mrs. Nancy P. Stuart
B.A.
Longwood College, University of Virginia; English I, IA; Beta Club, Eighth Grade Sponsor.

"I DIDN'T DO IT" . . . D. Willis explains. Mrs. Stuart and Mrs. Blankenship know he didn't; they just felt mischievous.

"HALF A MINUTE TO GO" . . . say Mrs. Littleton and Mrs. Jennings as they teach K. Rickett and K. Bird to debate.

Rodney W. Kidder
B.S.
Concord College; Science IIA.



P.E. Somers
B.S. Physics
Virginia Polytechnic Institute; Math IIIA, IPS, Science IA, Physics.

Roger Wayne Ogden
A.S., B.S.
North Carolina State University, University of Maryland, Va. Western Comm. College, Va. Commonwealth University, V.P.I.; Chemistry, Chem. Study, Mechanical Drawing; Assistant Coach Wrestling.

T. W. Robertson
B.S., M.S.
Lincoln Memorial University, Syracuse University, University of Virginia; Biology; Backfield Coach Football; Head of Science Department.

Students Master Science Lingo

Experiments, labs, and research are the three big words in our science classes, kindling interest in the students as they select their science courses.

Eighth graders choose between IPS science and earth science. Tenth graders are required to explore biology, and eleventh graders get a swing at chemistry. Physics is offered to the seniors who wish to delve into advanced science. No matter what the course, the students learn to speak the science "lingo" and to operate the lab equipment.

Veterans Mr. Robertson and Mr. Somers welcomed Mr. Kidder, Mr. Ogden, and Mr. Phillips to the Science Department. These five men teach CHS what science is all about.

THIS IS THE WAY THINGS SHOULD BE . . . B. Mappus and L. Redman show Mr. Ogden and Mr. Kidder how students operate laboratory equipment.

Mark W. Phillips
B.A.
Emory and Henry; Biology, General Science; Assistant Coach Football and Track.

Maude E. Mahaney
B.A.
Westhampton College, University of Pennsylvania, Columbia University; Geometry, College Prep Math; Head of Cafeteria.

Mrs. Louise V. Curfman
B.S.
Longwood College, University of Virginia, University of Florida; Algebra IA, II, IIA; FTA, Head Senior Sponsor.

Mrs. Margaret F. Ives
B.A.
Lynchburg College, Virginia Commonwealth University; Mathematics I, IA, IIAR; Head Junior Sponsor.

Mrs. Edna C. Friel
B.A.
Bridgewater College, University of Virginia, Randolph Macon Women's College; Mathematics IAR, IIA, Consumer Math; Head of Math Department.

Mrs. Edith W. Noel
B.A.
Mary Washington College, University of Virginia; Algebra I, Mathematics IA, IIIA.

Puzzles of Math Solved

"Spinning Wheels" might well describe students' feelings in the math courses, since getting numbers they put down to come up with the right answers is a major problem. However, under the direction of capable instructors, this major problem can easily be turned into a minor one. So, around and around go students and teachers in the game of numbers to see how the odds come out at the end of the year.

Basic math, Algebra I, II, geometry, and advanced math offer each student, according to his talents and needs, a chance to explore the challenging world of mathematics.

Mrs. Caroline D. Boatwright
B.A.
University of North Carolina; Algebra I, Mathematics IA, IIIA.

HAVE A COOKIE . . . Harold Carpenter chalks up a few "cookie points" as Mrs. Noel helps him with a math problem.

John F. Clemmer
B.A.
Atlantic Christian College; U.S. and Virginia History.

Charles B. Hammond
B.A.
Bridgewater College, Virginia Military Institute; World Geography; Head of Social Studies Department.

Cecilroy J. Pettus
B.A.
Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Southern University, University of Virginia, Radford College; Civics, World Geography.

This Way to History

Mrs. Mary H. Mustoe
B.A.
Mary Baldwin College, University of Virginia; Government; Tri-Hi-Y.

The Social Studies Department has the most varied program at CHS. World geography, civics, world history, U.S. history, government, and economics are the courses offered to each student. Some of these subjects are required, but a well selected curriculum gives the student a chance at them all. He can read about the exciting days of Washington in U.S. history or compare varied cultures in world history and geography. A history lover may want to explore the economic world around him or the detailed workings of his government. It is the dream of every youth one day to be involved in the workings of the democratic process, and through our History Department he learns what reponsibilities will be placed on his shoulders. He soon finds out that a thorough knowledge of history is needed to make his society a better place in which to live.

Mrs. Brenda S. Uzzell
B.A.
College of William and Mary; World History and World Geography; Pep Club.

HELP! . . . These history classes are turning us around!

Leonard J. Rose, Sr.
B.S.
Roanoke College, Madison College, Virginia Polytechnic Institute, University of Virginia, Richmond Professional Institute, Virginia Commonwealth University; Distributive Education I, II, III; DECA Club; School Treasurer.

Mrs. Margaret J. Sams
B.S.
Concord College, Madison College; Steno I, II, Bookkeeping; FBLA.

William A. Salyers, Jr.
A.S., B.S.
Dabney Lancaster Community College, Eastern Mennonite College; Typewriting I, General Business.

Skills Are Everybody's Business

CHS plays a leading role in training students by instructing them in certain business and technical skills.

The Business Department revolves around skills needed for secretarial work. Girls who select a commercial course receive instruction in typing, shorthand, bookkeeping, and general business, all beneficial in securing a job after graduation.

Industrial arts offer students a chance to be creative. Woodworking, shop, electricity, and mechanical drawing skills combine to provide the students with varied vocational education.

DE students learn how to use the latest sales techniques, how to handle business transactions, and how to get along with their employer.

In fact, practical knowledge gained in business, industrial arts, or DE will be valuable in everyday life.

Jean S. Anderson
B.S.
Virginia Polytechnic Institute, University of Virginia, Dabney S. Lancaster, Madison College; Mechanical Drawing, Electricity, Architectural Drafting, Eighth Grade Industrial Arts.

Phillip B. Douglas
B.S.
West Virginia University; Woodworking; JV Football, Varsity Baseball Coach.

HERE IT IS . . . Mr. Anderson tells L. Reynolds there is a minute error in her sketches.

BUT MY EYES ARE CLOSED . . . Mr. Douglas pleads mercy from Mrs. Sams.

French, Spanish on The Rise

Mrs. Helen C. Harris
B.S.
Bluefield State College; French I, II, III, English IA; French Club.

In order to graduate with a college preparatory diploma, students must complete at least two years of a foreign language. Covington High offers French and Spanish, taught by Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Plott respectively.

In French I and II, Mrs. Harris tries to teach her students how to speak French fluently as well as to understand the basic structure of the written language. Mrs. Harris also tries to impress upon her students the importance of French history and their way of life.

Spanish I, II, III, and IV, very popular classes at Covington High, are taught by Mrs. Plott. Although Mrs. Plott instructs her students mainly through conversation, she also drills the grammar and mechanics of the language.

Both Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Plott try to give their pupils as much about the language as can be taught in such a short time, but individuals need continued practice to become proficient in any language.

HEY DOWN THERE . . . Expanding French classes keep Mrs. Harris on the move.

WHAT'S UP? . . . Mrs. Plott seems amused about somebody's adventures.

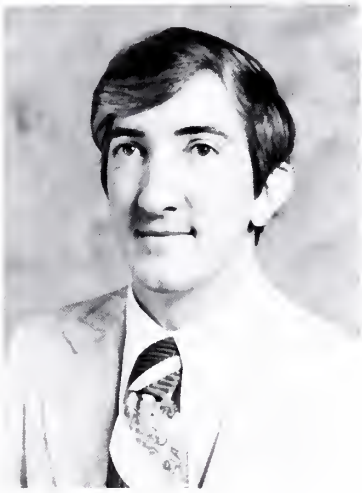
Mrs. Alicia Plott
B.S.
Radford College; Spanish I, II, III, IV; Spanish Club.

INTERMISSION . . . Mrs. Plott and Mrs. Harris are caught telling jokes during class change.

Fine Arts Inspire Talent

David A. Argo
B. in Mus. Ed.
M. Arts in Music
Brevard College, Greensboro College, Radford College; Vocal I, II; "Music Makers".

"MINE'S THE PRETTIEST" . . . says Mr. Keyser. Some of the students in Art II seem to be challenging him.



Kenneth Kyle Keyser
B.F.A. in Art Ed.
Chesapeake College, Richmond Professional Institute, Virginia Commonwealth University; Art I, IIA, II, III; Jayteens, Art Club.

Discovering and developing talents are the main goals of the Fine Arts Department.

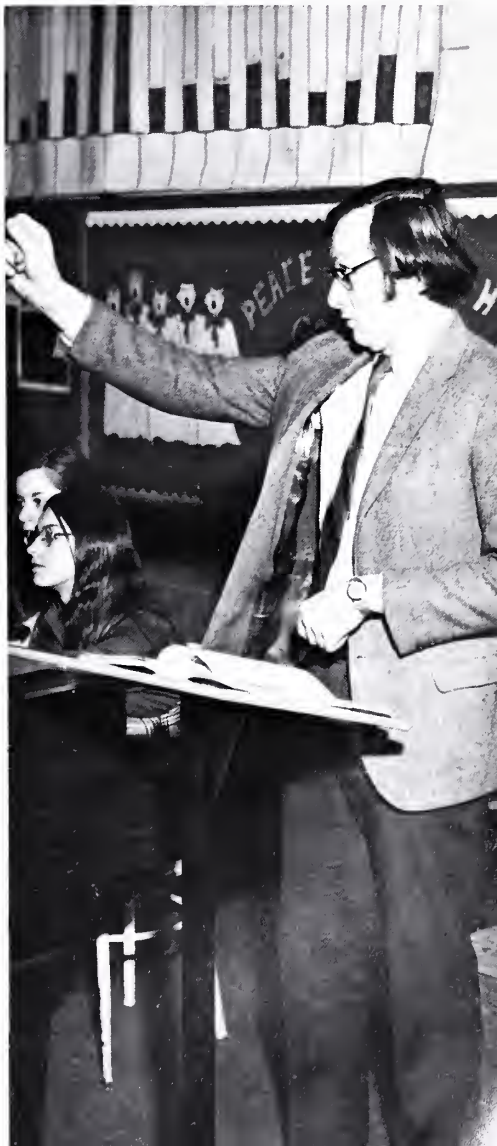
Great vocal ability is recognized not only by the fellow students at CHS, but also by the outside world. For example, seven students represented CHS in the regional choir, and of these seven, Carolyn Switzer was chosen to participate in the Virginia State Choir in Norfolk.

Not only can CHS students sing, but they also excel in the instrumental field. The seventy-seven member band is always a welcome sight and sound at football games and parades. The band and band boosters have worked hard to buy new uniforms. Projects, such as newspaper drives, stationery and candy sales, and car washes, have been going full blast all year to make possible the reality of sparkling new uniforms to accompany the newest rhythms of the day.

Even though the Art Department may be the quietest of the three, it is not, however, the least productive. In addition to innumerable class projects, their accomplishments are seen in the decorations for the Christmas Formal and the Prom.

Without fine arts, one thing is for sure — CHS would be a mighty dull place.

Steven R. Lawrence
M.A. in Music Ed.
Concord College; Vocal III, Music Theory, Band I, II; Stage Band.



AND 1, AND 2, AND A 3 . . .
Mr. Argo gets it on!

Harriet Hepler
B.S., M.S.
Radford College, University of Tennessee; Physical Science IA, Home Economics I; FHA.

The Home Ec. Department prepares CHS girls to be homemakers. Here Miss Hepler is in charge of eighth grade girls, and Mrs. Hall is the instructor for girls in grades 9-12. All these classes participated in many projects, including making candy apples and chocolate Easter eggs, which were sold to supplement the FHA treasury.

The year's activities were climaxed with a spring fashion show. All girls enrolled in home economics modeled the outfits they had made during the year.

Certainly Women's Lib couldn't convince these young ladies that the training they are receiving from Miss Hepler and Mrs. Hall is unimportant.

'TIS THE SEASON TO BE JOLLY . . . Girls in home economics help create Christmas spirit.

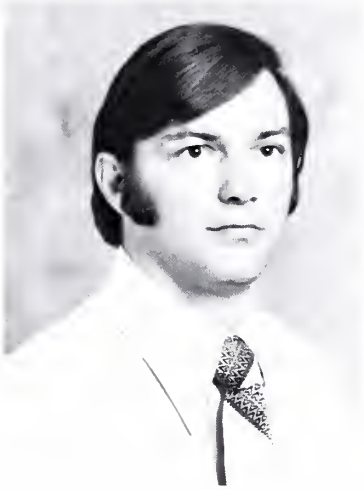
Home Ec. Looks Toward the Future

BUSY AS BEES . . . Sewing, cooking, eating, and the drudgery of dish washing are all aspects of home economics.

Mrs. Mamie B. Hall
B.S.
Madison College, University of Virginia; Home Economics I, II, III, IV, V; FHA.

James William Fore
B.A.
Lynchburg College; Physical Education, Driver Training; Eighth Grade Football, Basketball, Varsity Baseball.

Saundra Slater
B.S.
Concord College, Marshall University; Health, Driver Education, Physical Education; Eighth Grade and Varsity Cheerleaders, JV Girls' Basketball.

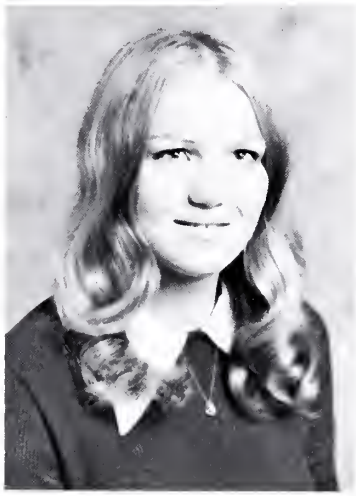


Rodney C. Spradlin
B.A.
Lynchburg College; Health, Physical Education; Varsity Wrestling, JV Baseball; Grappettes.

P.E. — Where Friends Get Together

Good health is the "word" all over the country today. Everyone is concerned about proper exercise, and some are even switching to a "natural foods" diet. The Physical Education Department at CHS is getting into the swing of the times, too. Warm up exercises and vigorous sports take place in the gym or on the field. Shouts of achievement and competition echoing throughout the school premises are proof that the team sports keep students alert, active, and happy.

Alternating with the physical activities is classroom instruction in driver training, first aid, and physical and mental health. In short, students learn in physical education how their bodies operate and how to keep them functioning well.



Connie June Goad
B.S.
Concord College, Marshall University; Health, Physical Education; Varsity Girls' Basketball, JV Cheerleaders.

Sanford H. Carper
B.S.
Lincoln Memorial University, East Tennessee State University; Driver Education, Physical Education; Varsity Basketball, JV Football.

WHERE ARE YOU?... Wonder P.E. teachers looking for their assistants: D. Pyle, A. Huddleton, B. Mappus, B. Jones, J. Walton, S. Johnson, E. Clark, R. Dilley, C. Helton, B. Rice, L. Twitty, D. Easton, R. Casey.

Mrs. Ernestine Humphries
Secretary

Mrs. Sue Potter
Secretary

WORKING IT OUT . . . The office girls, B. Twitty, D. Reynolds, P. Drudy, D. Gregory, and Mrs. Potter and Mrs. Humphries keep CHS running smoothly.

Office, Library Keep CHS Together

Running the office requires skill, experience, and patience. Mrs. Humphries and Mrs. Potter are fully qualified in these areas. As school secretaries, some of their responsibilities include typing, mimeographing, making announcements, keeping the supply store, plus helping students in distress, whether it is supplying a band-aid or tardy slip.

Operating the library are our new librarian, Mrs. McClanahan and her helper, Mrs. Mills. These two ladies, through much hard work, have made the library a place of learning. Probably the most outstanding evidence of their work is a long needed "research room".

So the "fresh faces" in the library and the "voices of experience" in the office help keep CHS functioning.

IT'S TIME TO GO . . . is a familiar statement to library assistants: Mrs. Mills, Mrs. McClanahan, L. Smith, W. Hubble, S. Kemper, Y. Meadows, K. Williams, C. Loan, T. Carper, R. Austin, S. Adams, M. Bell; (Not pictured: P. Buckland).

Mrs. Wanda Mills
Assistant to Librarian

Mrs. Mary E. McClanahan
Pikeville Junior College, Eastern Kentucky State College; Librarian.

ALL FINISHED . . . Mr. Sampson, Mr. Martin, Mr. Thompson, and Mr. Bowyer are ready to leave after a busy day.

The Custodial Staff works hard to keep CHS running efficiently. Clean halls, classrooms, and rest rooms are always found throughout the building. Also, repairs and replacements are constantly being made by this staff.

CHS says thanks to the Custodial Staff for the magnificent job they do. The students appreciate coming into a warm, clean building when the snow covers the ground on those cold mornings. They also welcome the friendly smiles and the hearty "Hi" from the staff.

Staffs Keep CHS Functioning

Food! Food! Food! The way to anyone's heart is through his stomach, and everyone at CHS has a place for those delicious cafeteria meals. So from 8:00 until 2:00, the Cafeteria Staff mixes and matches meals to make us happy.

Well balanced meals with several items to choose from are found on the counter. Home made rolls, cakes, and pies are favorites among the students. The Cafeteria Staff greet and are greeted with happy smiles as students select from the food displayed.

NO GOOF-OFFS . . . Mrs. Dressler, Mrs. Henning, Mrs. Whiteside, Mrs. Huffman, Mrs. Comer, and Mrs. Craft add a pinch of fun to the meals.

IT'S MINE . . . Mr. Clemmer holds on tight.

JUST A LITTLE EARLY . . . Mr. Phillips says, "Please don't tell Mr. Trumbo."

LOOK AND LISTEN . . . L. Plott "teaches" teachers to

TAKING A DRAG . . . Getting it together in the new smoking area, Mr. Salyers and students relate.

MOUNTAINEERS? . . . Just spirited teachers on Mountie Day.

ON THE MOVE? . . . Mrs. Burks is on the way down from study hall.

HIT THE BRAKES, YOU FOOL! . . . It's all in a day's work.

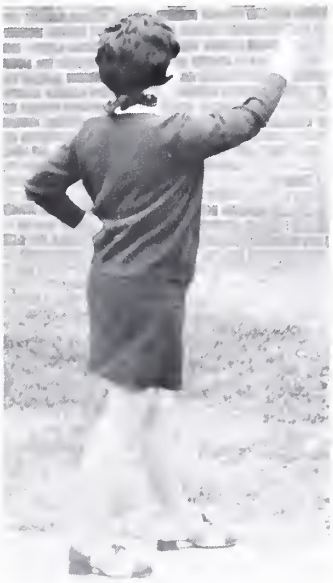
se the juke box and appreciate music.

HOLD IT . . . The 3:30 rush is on!

Friends in Action

HURRY . . . We'll need a tardy slip.

SPLIT PERSONALITY . . . Mr. Spradlin enjoys two parts of a new job.



CAUGHT . . . Mrs. Jennings catches seniors skipping out to lunch.

MR. LAWRENCE . . . Get those knees up!

MEDITATION . . . A penny for Mr. Albert's thoughts.

FEATURES

"An Autumn Coronation" is the Theme

1972 HOMECOMING QUEEN . . . Miss Althea Hippert gazes at her escort, Lonnie Montgomery.

AND THE QUEEN IS . . . Miss Althea Hippert looks surprised as she is crowned Homecoming Queen by Noah Drumheller, President of the CHS Alumni Association.

In early November, students, alumni, and friends of Covington High celebrated the 1972 Homecoming festivities. Preparations for Homecoming began the first of October when seniors cast their ballots for Queen contestants and escorts. The next week the ten senior contestants, voted by their class, appeared before the Student Body in hopes of becoming the highlight of "An Autumn Coronation."

At the last minute, rain forced CHS to postpone festivities until the next home game — a month away. Tension and suspense mounted until finally at halftime of the ballgame against William Byrd, Homecoming 1972 came to a climax. The band performed with skill and precision in accordance with the theme, "An Autumn Coronation," by forming a shield symbolic of the courage always shown by the mighty Cougars and a castle representing the protector of CHS's greatest wealth—friendship. Everyone present at the 1972 Autumn Coronation seemed to approve immensely the student body's choice of Queen, Miss Althea Hippert.

# of Delayed Homecoming Festivities

1972 HOMECOMING COURT . . . Clockwise from Top: Miss Lynn Arritt escorted by Danny Boone; **Miss Brenda Mappus** escorted by Billy Rice; **Miss Carol Scott** escorted by Mike Drudy; **Miss Dawn Dressler** escorted by Steve Miller; **Miss Peggy Heydrick** escorted by Rick Casey; **Miss Charlene Walker** escorted by Gary Martin; **Miss Pier Broadnax** escorted by David Lowen; **Miss Michaelene Gillespie** escorted by Glenn Miller; and **Miss Christy Loan** escorted by Bobby Moffitt.

A Week of Switzer's Work

The annual Little Brown Jug festivities at Covington High School were held during the end of November. On Friday everyone dressed like woodhooks for "Mountie Day." Blue jeans, flannel shirts, and bobby socks were the stylish attire for many teachers as well as the student body.

The pep rally built up the spirit for the big game to come. Several young-at-heart teachers united as a faculty cheerleading squad to aid team morale. Although spirits were high, we lost the game; but we were proud of the fine effort made by our team in a disheartening game.

The Sadie Hawkins Dance, a "girl-ask-boy" affair, was sponsored by the cheerleaders as an official closing to football season.

OFF TO SEE THE WIZARD . . . In the annual Little Brown Jug assembly, the Varsity Cheerleaders took the students on a trip to Victory Land.

MOUNTAINEERS? . . . No, it's just P. Stull, R. Mills, and M. Wickline in style on Mountie Day.

PSYCHE OUT . . . Amid all the preparations for the Little Brown Jug assembly, Chuckie Walton, Paul Clements, and Marshall Robinson concentrate on the rugged game ahead.

Gives Terry Peters Title

I DO . . . says Norma Smith to her date as she takes him for her Lil' Abner.

YOU CAN'T HIDE THAT FEELING . . . Terry Peters and Carolyn Switzer flash the gleaming smile that helped win Lil' Abner and Daisy Mae.

CANDIDATES FOR LIL' ABNER AND ESCORTS . . . G. Casto, G. Poague, S. Gilbert, P. Clements, C. Droke, M. Trumbo, C. Walton, D. Lamb, T. Peters, G. Taylor, S. Waldren, and J. Neal escorted by C. Jamison, A. Hippert, D. Humphries, T. Gill, T. Pristash, C. Switzer, J. Walton, L. Mann, D. Robinson, and C. Leighton.

5, 4, 3, 2, 1 . . . Students Count

LET US BE THANKFUL . . . Rev. Robinson leads CHS in a prayer of Thanksgiving.

HONEST, BOODIE . . . Greg Taylor convinces Mr. Albert that he spent the first day of hunting season with his sick grandmother.

SERIOUS MOMENTS . . . These fellows take a few moments from their usual horseplay to become ushers for the Thanksgiving Assembly program.

Days Until a Holiday Vacation

AND HERE'S TO YOU . . . Lynette Plott presents the Christmas baskets to the 1972 Christmas Mother, Mrs. Robinson.

BLINK . . . BLINK . . . The best decorated . . . blink . . . locker . . . blink . . . flashes good wishes!

LETTERS TO SANTA . . . No, these envelopes are Christmas greetings to friends at CHS.

LET'S HELP A CHILD HAVE CHRISTMAS . . . is the urgent plea of Jayteens as they collect money for underprivileged children.

The holiday season started officially with the Thanksgiving assembly at which the mixed choir furnished special music. Rev. M. F. Robinson gave brief comments on the occasion.

Christmas activities around the school were varied. The Student Council sponsored a locker decoration contest and a "mail service" whereby Christmas greetings could be exchanged. Students participated in the preparation of baskets for needy families. These well-filled baskets were presented to the Christmas Mother, Mrs. M. F. Robinson, at the Christmas assembly. The various choirs also appeared during the assembly, providing delightful Christmas favorites.

Miss Christy Loan Reigns over the

1973 SNOW QUEEN . . . Miss Christy Loan was crowned the 1973 Snow Queen by the CHS Jayteens.

The 1972 Christmas Formal, sponsored by the Student Council, proved to be extra special. Many weeks of planning, several days of hard work, and the rocking music of "Uncle Sam" turned the CHS gym into a land of wonder. All childhood dreams of playing in the snow, of dancing sugarplums, of life-sized toys, and of Santa Claus and his kingdom were reproduced in the scenery of "Christmas Magic."

As an addition to the glamour of the Formal this year, the CHS Jayteens crowned their Snow Queen and her court at the annual dance.

SILVER BELLS . . . Dancers, courtesy of Wanda Meeks School of Dancing, add variety to the Christmas Formal.

1973 SNOW QUEEN AND COURT . . . Jeana Walton, Junior Princess; Dawn Dressler, Senior Princess; Christy Loan, Snow Queen; Carol Scott, Senior Princess; Beth O'Neil, Sophomore Princess; Lisa Hardy, Freshman Princess.

Enchanted World of "Christmas Magic"

YUM, YUM . . . Pat Harrison and his date get Christmas goodies from server Beverly Jerman.

LET US ENTERTAIN YOU . . . Marty Montgomery, John Caughron, and Carolyn Switzer provide entertainment for the formal.

"HO! HO!" says Santa Mike Cash along with his friend, Frosty.

SMILE! . . . Robert Swartz smiles as he poses for a picture with Evelyn Sarjeant.

Genia Michalene Gillespie

First Runner-Up
Terry Cecelia Gill

Second Runner-Up
Darlene Ann Gregory

MISS CHS CONTESTANTS . . . Lynn Arritt, Pier Broadnax, Christy Loan, Althea Hippert, Charlene Walker, Deborah Reynolds, and Carol Scott.

Depicting the typical senior girl, Genia Michalene Gillespie now holds the title Miss CHS. Terry Cecelia Gill was chosen first runner-up, and Darlene Ann Gregory, second runner-up.

To make a final choice from the group of ten contestants chosen by the senior class, a panel of judges was selected by the Yearbook Staff. These unbiased judges were in no way connected with the school. The contestants appeared before the judges in both evening and casual wear; later they were granted individual interviews by the panel of judges.

A special assembly was held in April at which time the contestants were presented to the student body. In this assembly, Miss CHS and the first and second runners-up were announced.

The Yearbook Staff would like to congratulate all Miss CHS contestants for this great honor.

Reigns As 1973 Miss CHS

Genia Michalene Gillespie
Miss CHS

Students Campaign for SCA Offices

RAH! RAH! RAH! . . . Various students, along with Miss Mahaney, give a cheer for the candidates.

WEO! . . . B.F. Goodrich crowd discuss their man for president — Dennis Trainer.

Campaigning for SCA offices started on a serious note this year. Five special assemblies were held prior to the regular assembly. Each class met the candidates and heard their views. This helped to give the students an idea of the candidates' serious side.

As usual, halls were decorated with slogans and posters. Color and excitement were present as each candidate tried to outdo his opponent.

Procedures for voting were altered on election day. Students were called alphabetically to vote. This process cut down on confusion.

New officers elected were Mona Carter, president; Paula Stull, vice-president; Karen Jamison, secretary; Brad Fitzgerald, treasurer.

CANDIDATES FOR SCA . . . Seated: D. Trainer, M. Carter, J. Munsey, K. Halsey, P. Stull, G. Hendrick, C. Crawford, K. Jamison, M. Cashwell, D. Caldwell, W. Humphries, B. Fitzgerald; **MANAGERS . . . Standing:** R. Casey, J. Nichols, T. Peters, D. Robinson, K. Warlitner, R. Swartz, K. Miller, Y. Miller, G. Clark, R. Crawford, D. Carter, D. Folks.

I WANT TO BE ELECTED . . . Alice Cooper joined the campaign.

THE TEMPTATIONS? . . . No, it's the 4 Tops singing "Ain't No Woman Like the One I've Got."

IF ELECTED, I PROMISE . . . Mona Carter displays some of her campaign promises.

Students' Superior Achievement

RECIPIENTS OF SCHOLASTIC AWARDS . . . First Row: T. St.Clair, A. Hillmer, J. Craghead, P. Byer, C. Rose, T. Warlitner, G. Jensen, D. Vanness, P. Powell, M. Switzer, W. Humphries, **Second Row:** M. Carter, D. Lowen, C. Carter, D. Gaines, M. Trumbo, E. Jensen, D. Matics, R. Williams, G. Crawford, G. Jefferson, M. Snead, E. Sarjeant.

TWO OUT OF THREE ISN'T BAD . . . Billy Rice received outstanding baseball and basketball trophies, while Harold Carpenter was awarded one for his ability in track.

At the annual awards assembly, students were recognized for their achievements in both athletic and academic fields. In addition, the DAR Award for excellence in history was presented to Mona Carter.

Students engaged in varsity sports and intramural sports received monograms and second, third, and fourth year bars for their participation. A trophy for Cheerleader of the Year went to Althea Hippert, while Terry Gill received the Pat Dowdy Award for the outstanding cheerleader in the area. Monograms were given to all cheerleaders completing their second and third years.

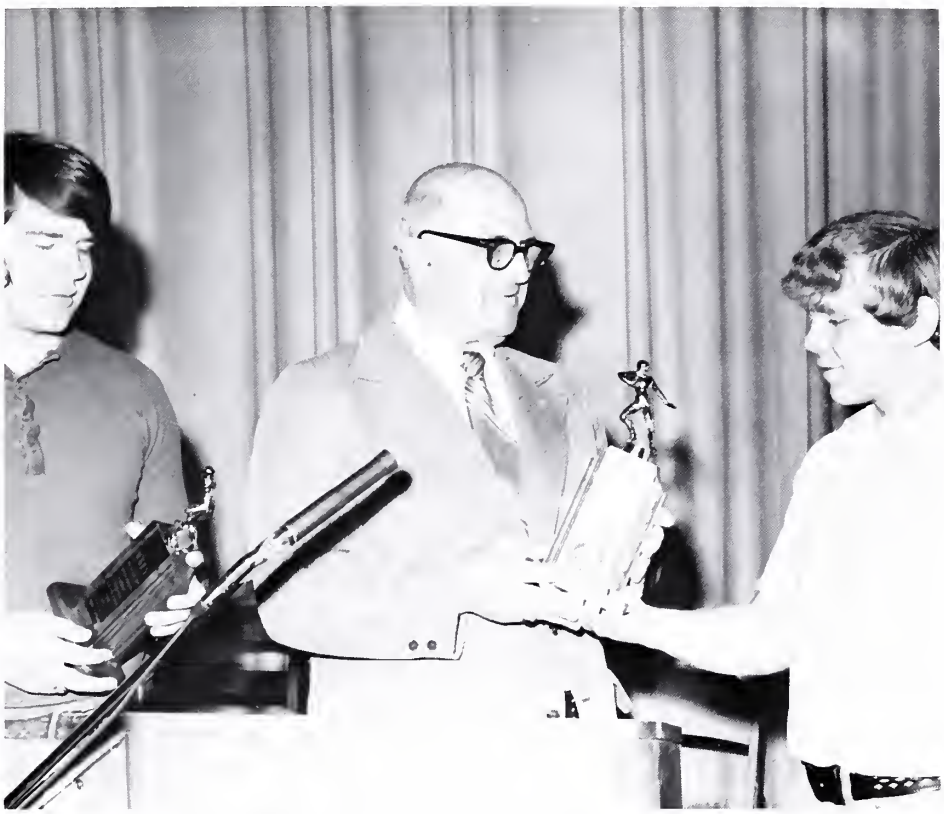
In addition, Martha Jessee received the Commercial Award for outstanding typing, shorthand, and bookkeeping skills.

A special award was given to Howard Crawford for his outstanding student services as stage manager. Also, Lynette Plott, president of the SCA, was presented an engraved plate in gratitude for her work with the Student Council this year.

Congratulations to all recipients of awards and trophies!

in Various Fields is Rewarded

SURPRISE, SURPRISE!! . . . Althea Hippert received Cheerleader of the Year Award from the student body.



W.K.E.Y. PICKS OUTSTANDING PLAYERS . . . Greg Taylor and Gary Hendrick received trophies for their outstanding efforts in the Clifton Forge-Covington game.

CHS OLYMPIC WINNERS? . . . Not quite, but they all were presented monograms for their athletic efforts.

Students Are Honored With Awards

MUSIC LOVERS . . . These students received awards and monograms for their outstanding talent in music.

HAPPINESS . . . Martha Jessee smiles as she thinks of her commercial awards.

FUHRMAN'S FOUR . . . Pat Harrison, Mike Wickline, Greg Casto, and Harold Carpenter won honors for their outstanding track performance.

For Scholastic And Athletic Ability

GOOD GOING, GEORGE! . . . Proud "Hobby" Payne grins as he finally receives the Cooke Memorial Award he tried so hard for all year.

THANKS "CHIC"! . . . The SCA showed their appreciation to Howard Crawford for his outstanding student services.

PAT DOWDY MEMORIAL . . . Terry Gill received the award treasured by area cheerleaders.

D.A.R. AWARD . . . Mona Carter was honored by the Daughters' of the American Revolution for her excellence in history.

Juniors Select "Pieces Of

SMILE! . . . Robin Dilley and Ricky Gaines stop to pose for a picture.

YOU WANT TO SWING? . . . Bobby Moore gives Missy Snead an extra shove on the flower swing.

PIECES OF APRIL . . . Couples browse around looking at the attractive decorations.

"Pieces of April" proved to be a beautiful theme for the '73 Prom, where juniors, seniors, and guests danced to the sounds of "The Chordinators". The flower swing, rose bushes, gazabo, and many other decorations helped display the springy idea of "Pieces of April".

Terry Peters and Lee Ann Mann were elected to reign as king and queen of the prom. They remained on the throne during the entertainment, which was provided by Gale Clark, Dora Robinson, Kitty Halsey, Teresa Ervin, and Carolyn Switzer.

Highlighting the prom was the traditional grand march by the seniors, followed by dancing to the class song, "You've Got a Friend".

April" For Theme Of Prom

ARE THESE REAL? . . . Bobby Moffitt and Peggy Heydrick inspect the real-looking rose tree.

IS IT ONE O'CLOCK YET? . . . Everyone is anxious for the after-prom parties.

I KNOW IT'S HERE SOMEWHERE! . . . Melvin Whiteside searches tables for hidden refreshments!

YOUR HIGHNESSES . . . Lee Ann Mann and Terry Peters were chosen as King and Queen of the Prom.

MAY WE HELP YOU? . . . These girls are eager to serve refreshments.

Seniors Enjoy Their Privileges

LET US IN . . . Seniors enjoy the privilege of going to lunch five minutes early.

I'M READY! . . . Gil Poague struts in his cap and gown.

WHERE'S THE SUNTAN LOTION? . . . R. Dilley, C. Scott, and M. Bell are eager to go to the beach after graduation.

IT'S 2:15 . . . C. Leighton and T. Gill practice the privilege of leaving school for sixth period study hall.

SUFFER, FIRST PERIOD . . . Terry Carper relaxes as she watches

LINE UP . . . Seniors hurry to fill their plates at the banquet.

DON'T TALK — EAT! . . . The Holiday Inn served the Seniors their last meal together.

NO EXAMS! . . . Nancy Pritt happily throws away all her notes since she won't have any exams.

TV instead of coming for first period study hall.

IT'S PARTY TIME! . . . Mike McFarland and Glenn Miller stock up for after-the-graduation parties.

Class Day Brings Five Years of Toil

MAY I HAVE YOUR ATTENTION, PLEASE? . . . Mr. Trumbo (C. Walton) opens the Class Day assembly.

YOU BOYS JUST GROSS ME OUT . . . Mrs. Mustoe (A. Hippert) pauses from gov

I'M GONNA' GET VERY SICK . . . Joyce Ralsten pleads with Mr. Trumbo (C. Walton) to let her check out as Mrs. Potter (L. Plott) works busily in the background.

The month of May brought many events for seniors. Caps and gowns arrived; announcements were delivered; privileges started; and seniors began to realize how close graduation really was.

The Senior Banquet was held at the Holiday Inn. Here food was served buffet style, and tapes were provided for dancing afterward.

Class Day was the culminating event as it concluded the seniors' days at CHS. Awards were given to various teachers and fellow underclassmen. The Class Will and "Can You Imagine" were read and enjoyed. However, seriousness set in when the capping ceremony began. Eddie Plott provided background music as each senior crossed the stage and was capped by a junior friend.

So ended all school activities for the Class of 1973. They left full of excitement for the years ahead and memories of the years behind.

To An End As Seniors Obtain Revenge

ernment to "goof-off" with the guys.

CLASS OF '73 EMMY AWARDS . . . Robin Dilley, Jack Landis, and Cindy Jamison present various members of the CHS faculty with well-deserved awards.

IS THERE A QUESTION ON THE FLOOR? . . . Mr. Clemmer (P. Clements) talks to his favorite history class.

BELLS RING . . . Mrs. Whiteside (L. Plott), the class of 1973 has finally killed that mockingbird.

THANK-YOU . . . Mrs. Littleton (P. Buckland) delivers an acceptance speech.

Covington High

Peggy Powell
Valedictorian

HONORED . . . Malfourd Trumbo received the Alumni Award for outstanding boy graduate.

CLASS OF 1973: First Row: P. Powell, C. Jamison, E. Jensen, D. Vanness, T. Warlitner, D. Lowen, N. Smith, M. Trumbo, L. Plott, P. Clements, K. Hendrick, J. Shawver; **Second Row:** R. Barger, K. Crawford, F. Miller, L. Reed, L. Mann, C. Walker, P. Broadnax, D. Humphries, D. Dressler, M. Bell, R. Clark, C. Scott, K. Burks, L. Crawford, Y. Meadows, W. Wiley, S. Miller, T. Peters; **Third Row:** J. Neal, G. Payne, N. Wade, P. Whitehead, J. Munsey, K. Bess, T. Gill, C. Leighton, M. Gillespie, S. Bland, B. Bishop, W. Liggins, N. Pritt, D. Stinespring, P. Witt, V. Holloway, G. Knick, G. Martin; **Fourth Row:** J. Knighton, S. Gilbert, A. Hippert, K. Williams, P. Arfitt, T. Pristash, M. Clifton, D. Gregory, E. Jett, M. Jessee, T. Potter, L. White, D. Sanders, T. Via, M.

June 1 brought an end to high school days for 121 seniors. For five years they were together sharing good times of parties, proms, formals, victories, plus some hard studying. These students left Covington High School with mixed emotions but with hopes that their background would help with what they had chosen for a career.

There were several graduates who were recognized for outstanding achievements in various fields. They were: Commercial, Deborah Reynolds; Athletics,

Graduates 121

Drudy, P. Goodwin; **Fifth Row:** M. McFarland, S. Waldren, R. Dilley, B. Mappus, L. Arritt, T. Fitzgerald, A. Pegram, D. Haynes, S. Crawford, D. Milton, J. Landis; **Sixth Row:** R. Linkenhoker, A. Smith, C. Walton, J. Stewart, D. Sams, S. Wood, P. Bennington, P. Crawford, I. Bradley, P. Buckland, M. Alfred, D. Reynolds, T. Carper, D. Lockhart, P. Heydrick, S. Kemper, M. Cash, G. Miller; **Seventh Row:** D. Johnson, C. Loan, S. Gautier, H. DeLigt, M. Spurlock, N. Morgan, S. Adams, J. Ralsten, G. Casto, G. Rimmer; **Eighth Row:** D. Lamb, G. Lodge, M. Robinson, C. Helton, M. Moore, D. Jenkins, R. Andrews, R. Casey, L. Montgomery, G. Taylor, B. Moffitt.

Johnetta Holloway and Billy Rice; Math, Science, and Foreign Langueges, Peggy Powell; Home Economics, Donna Haynes; Art, Christy Leighton; Dramatics, Jack Landis; English, Cindy Jamison; Social Studies, Malfourd Trumbo; Music and Band, Debbie Vanness; Mechanical Drawing, Steve Miller; and Distributive Education, Glenn Miller. Terry Gill and Malfourd Trumbo received the Alumni Awards.

Cindy Jamison
Salutatorian

REWARDED . . . Terry Gill received the Alumni Award for outstanding girl graduate.

CLUBS

SCA Turns the School Topsy-Turvy

WELCOME . . . President Lynette Plott officially begins the Christmas Formal entertainment.

TOO SOFT . . . Vice-president Althea Hippert adjusts the juke box to please the students.

SOUL TRAIN . . . Black students show their rhythm in the Black Assembly.

The Student Council Association works to better student relations and improve school conditions. The representatives, who are elected by the students, meet once each week during alternate periods.

The Student Council, working with the faculty, has had several school policies changed. These include permission to smoke in designated areas, reforms in dress code, and changes in locker procedures.

This year the SCA sponsored various activities for the students' enjoyment. An assembly observing National Black America Week, in which aspects of black culture were presented to the student body, was sponsored by the Student Council. They also organized a chapel assembly at Thanksgiving. For Christmas, the SCA held a locker

MEMBERS OF SCA . . . Terry Gill, Bobby Moffitt, Terry Peters, David Lowen, Jeana Walton, Perry Balser, Danny Folks, Kim Warlitner, Paula Stull, Matt Drudy, Susan Albert, Patty Witt, Rick Casey, Peggy Heydrick, Brenda Mappus, Martha Jessee, Danny Milton, Sue Cash, Jeffrey Hutton, Mike Cash, Wanda Hubble, Kevin Rickett.

As It Brings About Various Changes

FOR SALE . . . Secretary Lee Ann Mann models one of the CHS jerseys that the SCA sold.

LEGS . . . Treasurer Dennis Trainer shows that shorts are allowed at CHS.

decoration contest and set up a Christmas mail box so that students could send cards to their friends in school. Again this year they sponsored the annual Christmas Formal, for which club members did all the decorating and cleaning up.

The SCA sent three seniors to represent CHS on Klassroom Kwiz, and despite losing, made a good showing for the school. Club members also attended the district SCA meeting at Andrew Lewis to share ideas on how school problems can be handled.

Money-making activities included selling cards, raffling off a football at the Homecoming game, and selling CHS jerseys. In conclusion, the Student Council had a very busy and constructive year.

THREE WISE MONKEYS . . . Eric Jensen, Peggy Powell, and Lynette Plott represented the SCA on Klassroom Kwiz.

MEMBERS OF SCA . . . Angela Montgomery, Teresa Ervin, Bryan Rothwell, Ray Crawford, Brenda Jones, David Caldwell, Pete Clark, Gloria Pierce, Joan Craghead, Tammy Crawford, Dale Cole, Roberta Smith, Carol Carter, Sharon Campbell, Mitch Mann, Richard Watson, Randy Mills, Mark Huddleston, Robin Austin, Melissa Rimmer, Mona Carter, Jackie Munsey, Danny Walton, Pat Harrison.

FRENCH CLUB MEMBERS . . . M. Abbott, A. Hillmer, M. Snead, M. Warren, W. Kayser, W. Humphries, M. Cashwell, M. Trumbo, S. Johnson, D. Cobbs, D. Matheny, L. Smith, T. Ervin, J. Plott, E. Sarjeant, M. Hillmer, Y. Miller, M. Bell, T. Carper, E. Grumblatt, D. Lockhart, D. Miller, S. Miller, T. Byer, J. Miller, S. Caldwell, T. St. Clair, K. Munsey, B. Woodson.

The French Club is composed of students who have taken French and are interested in French culture. The group began the year by electing officers who planned the activities for the year.

The first event the club members participated in was Language Day. On this day the students who wished to join the club were initiated. These students began the day by wearing to school costumes like those of native France. The old members of the club could request new members to sing French songs and do various stunts. Language Day was an enjoyable break in the daily routine. Later the same evening, the new members were formally initiated by taking part in the club's secret initiation.

The French Club sponsored two money-making projects. In December, they held a bake sale, and they had a spring dance, "Cabaret", with music by Stonehenge.

At the end of the year the club held its annual picnic with plenty of food and fun for everyone.

French Club Sponsors "Cabaret"

FRENCH CLUB OFFICERS . . . Missy Snead, Vice-president; Sandra Caldwell, Secretary; Steve Miller, Treasurer; Jeannie Miller, President.

CABARET . . . The French Club sponsored this lively dance in March.

Betas Work With Vigor to Succeed

The Beta Club began its year by initiating the new members into the club at the first meeting. At this time the plans and the goals of the club were discussed.

The Beta Club had many activities for the year. The first activity was preparing baskets for the needy at Thanksgiving. Then, at Christmas, the annual party was held at the Jensen home. In February, they held a bake sale to buy the gold cords for senior members to wear with caps and gowns at graduation. The year ended with a banquet at the Alleghany Country Club at which the officers for next year were installed.

BETA CLUB OFFICERS . . . Judy Shawver, Secretary; Debbie Vanness, Reporter; Norma Smith, Vice-president; Eric Jensen, President; (Not pictured: P. Clements, Treasurer).

MEMBERS OF BETA CLUB . . . P. Powell, D. Vanness, M. Hillmer, M. Snead, C. Rose, J. Miller, S. Caldwell, T. Warlitner, G. Crawford, L. Wheeler, D. Gaines, K. Jensen, F. Camp, P. Clements, E. Jensen, J. Shawver, C. Switzer, M. Carter, C. Jamison, L. Plott, M. Trumbo, D. Carter.

Hard Working Cougars Earn Monogram

MEMBERS OF MONOGRAM CLUB . . . Seated: M. Drudy, M. Trumbo, M. Moore, J. Nichols, G. Carpenter, D. Folks, W. Lamb, J. Munsey, D. Tyree, H. Carpenter, B. Rothwell; **Standing:** G. Casto, M. Wickline, P. Balser, M. Montgomery, R. Crawford, D. Matheny, M. Boone, P. Clements, R. Warren, G. Hendrick, M. Green, R. McFadden.

CHEERLEADERS? . . . G. Casto, G. Taylor, and P. Clements root for the cheerleaders at the Faculty-Cheerleader basketball game.

The Boys' Monogram Club consists of young men who participate in competitive sports. They earn their letters by working hard in practice and by their effort on the mat, field, court, or track.

The year's big event was the Monogram Dance, held in February. The boys of the club nominated ten girls to run for Monogram Queen. The Queen was selected by students donating "penny votes" for the girl of their choice. Miss Cindy Jamison, who was sponsored by Greg Casto, was crowned Monogram Queen. Miss Kim Warlitner, backed by Dennis Trainer, was first runner-up.

The club concluded the year with the annual spring picnic at Douthat State Park.

FIRST RUNNER-UP . . . Kim Warlitner, run by for Monogram Queen.

MONOGRAM QUEEN CANDIDATES, ESCORTS . . . C. Walton, B. O'Neil, T. Peters, L. Mann, L. Burks, W. Hubble, J. Nichols, J. Taylor, T. Huffman, L. Hardy, M. Montgomery, B. Dillard, J. Munsey, P. Kenny, G. Taylor, C. Loan.

Dennis Trainer, was voted the first runner-up

1973 MONOGRAM QUEEN . . . Cindy Jamison, sponsored by Greg Casto, was crowned at the annual Monogram Dance.

SPANISH CLUB MEMBERS . . . M. Green, K. Warlitner, D. Waugh, J. Quinlin, R. McFadden, S. Smith, G. Keith, P. Bennington, K. Alfred, D. Gurd, D. Gurd, J. Humphries, S. Price, D. Whiteside, M. Switzer, J. Quinlin, L. Donnally, J. Craghead, C. Dressler, J. Walton, L. Reynolds, R. Myers, K. Hendrick, C. Hunter, L. Heighter, V. Frame, M. Drudy, K. Arritt, V. Simmons, J. Nichols, T. Crawford, J. Taylor, T. Seldomridge, K. Clark, D. Meeks, A. Hillmer, R. Swartz, D. Pyle, M. Montgomery, G. Hendrick, D. Alfred, P. Balser, S. Edwards, S. Persinger, L. Haywood, W. Meeks, M. Clutter, L. Hardy, P. Harrison, J. Hutton, J. Landis, D. Vanness, J. Whitmore, T. Burhenn, S. Cunningham, D. Folks, J. Munsey, H. Carpenter, G. Carpenter, L. Rider, R. Alfred, M. Smith, C. Kelly, B. Moore, T. Robertson, D. Kemper, T. Shue, K. Jamison, H. Myers, J. Groome, L. Arritt, T. Rock, G. Whitmer, G. Jefferson, P. Robinson, R. Williams, P. Powell, S. Hemp, S. Clatterbaugh, C. Rose, S. Kemper, N. Pritt, N. Smith, P. Hathaway, A. Cash, T. Robertson, M. Matheny, L. O'Rourke, M. Cash, D. Persinger, R. Lawson, K. Bird, B. Noel, M. Perry, F. Reyns, J. Neal, S. Myers, G. Casto, G. Willis.

The Spanish Club, under the direction of Mrs. Plott, is one of the biggest clubs at the school.

Last summer thirty-four students and five sponsors were able to go to Mexico as a result of the many money-making projects of the previous year. After an endless bus trip, they arrived in Mexico City for several days of seeing the sights and spending their money. From Mexico City, they went to Acapulco to spend three days of fun in the sun. It was an unforgettable experience.

For initiation this year the boys dressed up as pirates and the girls as Spanish señoritas. To round out the year, the club sponsored a dance.

SPANISH CLUB OFFICERS . . . Peggy Powell, President; Cindy Rose, Treasurer; Cindy Jamison, Secretary; Kay Hendrick, Reporter; (Not pictured: Mona Carter, Vice-president).

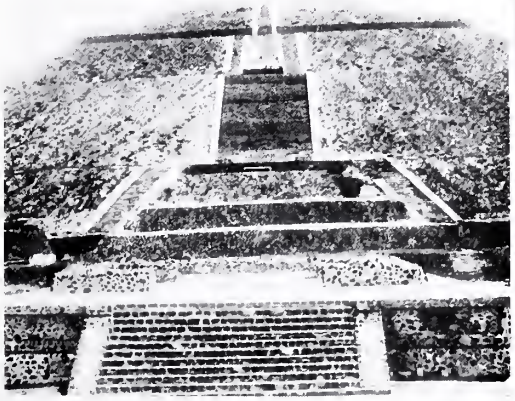
The Mexican Dream Came True

OFF TO MEXICO . . . First Row: J. Peters, S. Kemper, S. Crawford, P. Broadnax, T. Warlitner, D. Kemper, T. Gill, P. Heydrick, J. Shawver, C. Jamison, L. Donnally, B. Kessinger, V. Simmons, S. Price, D. Vanness, P. Powell, S. Persinger, M. Carter; **Second Row:** L. Rider, Mrs. Plott, Mrs. Blankenship, Mrs. Rose, K. Williams, G. Keith, Mr. Rose, R. Lawson, D. Alfred, D. Folks, B. Moore, G. Casto, J. Clarke, M. Drudy, P. Simpson, J. Landis, M. Montgomery, Mr. Keyser.

IN MEXICO . . . We bought things we really didn't need,

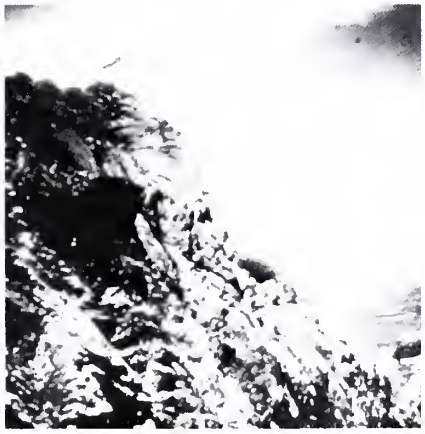
yelled for the bull at the bullfight,

gave our money to needy Mexican children,



climbed a million foot pyramid,

watched Gayle Keith fly over Acapulco,



and held our breath when the man dived at Quebrada.

FTA Strengthens "Teaching Spirit"

FTA MEMBERS . . . Libby Donnally, Michalene Gillespie, Vicky Simmons, Teri Pullin, Cindy Jamison, Nancy Pritt, Teri Warlitner, Wanda Hubble, Peggy Kenny.

TAKE ONE . . . L. Donnally, T. Pullin, A. Huddleston, and P. Kenny hand out programs at graduation.

HELPING OR HURTING . . . FTA Officers P. Buckland, President; P. Bennington, Vice-president; A. Huddleston, Secretary; and M. Bell, Treasurer; try to help A. Cottrell.

The Future Teachers of America is a club of students who hope to enter the teaching profession. Their goal is to acquaint themselves with the duties and responsibilities of teachers. One of their most rewarding activities for the year was serving as ushers at baccalaureate and commencement.

Tri-Hi-Y Attends Regional Meeting

TRI-HI-Y MEMBERS AT INDUCTION . . . P. Witt, D. Whiteside, K. Hendrick, S. Crawford, P. Crawford, M. Carter, T. Carper, S. Bess, T. Fitzgerald, A. Huddleston, D. Humphries, C. Jamison, P. Kenny, C. Rose, J. Smith, M. Snead, C. Switzer, S. Wood.

TRI-HI-Y OFFICERS . . . Marie Bell, President; Pam Bennington, Secretary; Robin Dilley, Treasurer, and Nancy Pritt, Chaplain; (Not pictured: Pam Buckland, Vice-president).

GUESS WHAT'S GONE . . . Tri-Hi-Y members enjoy a guessing game at the St. Patrick's Day party at Mrs. Mustoe's house.

Once again sponsored by Mrs. Mary Mustoe, the Tri-Hi-Y began the year with a candlelight induction service for the new members at the Edgemont Presbyterian Church. The Reverend L. L. Dattler, pastor, was the speaker.

Club members attended the district conference at Clifton Forge, and several later went to Buena Vista for the regional meeting.

In January the club sponsored a record hop, and in March a St. Patrick's Day party was held at Mrs. Mustoe's home. Here the girls enjoyed games and other entertainment. In addition, the group made donations to the Cancer Fund and Heart Fund. In all, the Tri-Hi-Y experienced a very busy and rewarding year.

Pep Club Boosts School Spirit By

VICTORY! . . . This Pep Club member is hopeful that her wish will come true.

RAIN OR SHINE . . . There are always some Pep Club members at the games.

Picnic Was Highlight of the Year

The Pep Club is a group of students who are dedicated to arousing and keeping up school spirit at CHS. The members of the club supported all sports this year, win or lose, and kept up the love for the Cougars by painting posters to hang in the halls, wearing Cougar buttons, and, of course, going to the games and cheering the team. Through the courtesy of one of the Pep Club members, the Cougar mascot was always on display at the games.

Under the supervision of Mrs. Uzzell, the Pep Club printed the Pep Sheet. This paper was full of gossip and sports news and was the main money-making project for the year.

In addition to its regular activities, the club revised its constitution this year. To round out a busy school term, the group held its annual picnic.

WE'RE BACKING YOU UP . . . Pep Club members show their spirit by wearing various buttons.

PEP CLUB MEMBERS . . . J. Walton, W. Hubble, S. John D. Sibold, P. Witt, P. Crawford, T. Robertson, E. Crawford, S. Camp, D. Kemper, T. Crawford,

Supporting the School Teams in '73

PEP CLUB OFFICERS . . . Gayle Keith, Treasurer; Susan Johnson, Secretary; Youlanda Meadows, Vice-president; Patty Drudy, President.

Y. Meadows, C. Rose, N. Wade, L. Donnally, M. Carter, S. Smith, D. Carter, J. Quinlin, L. Haywood, D. Whiteside, P. Cranford, M. Moore, T. Pristash, son, P. Bennington, K. Jamison, P. Stull, E. Sarjeant, S. Hemp, Y. Miller, K. Miller, R. Dilley, P. Drudy, M. Snead, C. Switzer, B. Mappus, J. Craghead, P. Kenny, T. Keyser, T. Tingler, D. Jenkins, J. McKnight, S. Tyree, T. Tingler, B. Fitzgerald, K. Haynes, K. Abshire, D. Pritt, N. Pritt, R. Martin, T. Shue, Miller, P. Fisher, R. Swartz, M. Drudy, K. Alfred, J. Gilbert, C. Kelley, B. Noel, L. Uarich, D. Trainer, C. Leighton, P. Hathaway, V. Frame, M. Cash, F. K. Jensen.

FBLA Helps With School Activities

FBLA OFFICERS

Debbie Sams
Treasurer

Martha Jessee
President

Joyce Ralsten
Historian

Sandra Bland
Vice-president

Mashellda Alfred
Secretary
(Not pictured)

FBLA MEMBERS . . . Patty Witt, Patty Crawford, Teri Pullin, Karen Jerman, Linda Uarich, Debbie Evans, Karen Bess, Shelby Crawford, Debbie Carter, Kathy Burks, Edward Yancey, Lynn Arritt, Kathy Williams, Debbie Sams, Sandy Gwinn, Debbie Reynolds, Darlene Gregory, Martha Jessee, Althea Hippert, Teresa Keyser, Rita Martin, Phillip Barber, Paula Stull, Sandy Bland, Charlene Walker.

and Raises Much Money for Charity

GIRLS FROM GLAD? . . . Wanda Hubble, Susan Johnson, Teresa Keyser, and Sandy Gwinn all try to sell Debbie Carter a trash bag.

The FBLA, under the direction of Mrs. Sams, had a very busy year. As a learning experience, they took trips to Westvaco, Dabney S. Lancaster College, and Madison College. Their fund raising projects included selling candy and sponsoring a dance. A large part of their budget was used to send officers to a leadership camp in Massanetta Springs. Their community work consisted of presenting a gift to the Christmas Mother at a dinner and party at Temple Baptist Church, collecting for the Heart Fund, and selling trash bags with profits going to the March of Dimes.

All of these projects help to prepare the students to be good, responsible Future Business Leaders of America.

A.R.W.B. . . . Shelby Crawford, Mrs. Sams, and Kathy Burks are stuck with the job of arranging the honor roll.

BUSINESS TRIP . . . Shelby Crawford, Phillip Barber, Terry Pullin, Darlene Greggory, Deborah Reynolds, and Martha Jessee attend the Regional FBLA convention.

Forensics Members Display Talent

FORENSICS CLUB MEMBERS . . . G. Keith, N. Pritt, D. Robinson, M. Spurlock, G. Clark, M. Cashwell, J. Landis, C. Jamison, G. Crawford, S. Cunningham, T. Gill, C. Crawford.

WHAT NOW? . . . Mrs. Jennings, Mrs. Cvizic, and Mrs. Littleton have one of their frequent conferences as Forensics sponsors.

PIMENTO CHEESE OR CHICKEN SALAD? . . . Karen Jamison, Secretary; Ann Hillmer and Kitty Halsey, Co-presidents; and Matilda Cashwell, Treasurer; make sandwiches for the District Forensics meet.

The Forensics Club, an organization that is definitely an asset to the school, enjoyed a very busy year. Mrs. Betty Littleton, Mrs. Lynda Jennings, and Mrs. Ruth Cvizic served as club sponsors who were willing to spend long hours helping students to prepare for various meets.

CHS hosted the District Forensics meet in which Glenvar, Clifton Forge, Alleghany, Lord Botetourt, William Byrd, and Covington participated. Here Covington took first place with three first place awards and two second place awards. At the Regional meet Jack Landis won second place in the Boys' Prose Reading, and Carolyn Switzer placed third in the Girls' Prose Reading competition. Later, Jack Landis entered the State meet where he placed second.

In March a group of students, under the direction of Mrs. Cvizic, entered their presentation of Thornton Wilder's "Infancy" in the District One-Act Play Festival. They received an excellent rating for their performance.

Versatile in its offerings, the Forensics Club gives Covington High students a chance to compete in drama, public speaking, prose and poetry reading, spelling, and debate.

in Various District Competitions

FORENSICS CLUB MEMBERS . . . L. Plott, C. Leighton, M. Carter, D. Whiteside, K. Jamison, C. Dressler, K. Jensen, A. Hillmer, D. Kemper, B. Dillard, C. Switzer.

BABIES! . . . Jack Landis, Christy Crawford, Eric Jensen, Jan Smith, and Kurt Jensen received an excellent rating in District competition for their performance of Thornton Wilder's "Infancy".

WE SPELL, SPEAK, AND READ . . . Jack Landis, First Place in Boys' Prose; Carolyn Switzer, First Place in Girls' Prose; Gary Rimmer, Kurt Jensen, Kay Hendrick; and Kevin Rickett, Second Place in Boys' Extemporaneous Speaking; were part of the CHS Forensics team that placed first in the District competition. Other contestants were Pam Buckland, Second Place in Girls' Extemporaneous Speaking; Robin Dilley, First Place in Girls' Original Oratory; and Lori Haywood.

Choirs Try "To Teach the World

MUSIC MAKERS . . . Standing: D. Johnson, M. Carter, C. Thompson, D. Vanness, J. Neal, D. Jenkins, J. Hutton, J. Landis, M. Montgomery, L. Hunter, C. Switzer, T. Ervin, J. Smith; **Seated:** C. Rose.

GIRLS' CHORUS . . . First Row: R. Myers, A. Gill, S. Byer, B. Twitty, H. Moomaw, K. Simmons, F Waldren, B. Barber, C. Scruggs; **Second Row:** S. Byer, A. Montgomery, G. Reynolds, D. Hamm, D Persinger, R. Smith, S. Hostetter, M. Spurlock, J. Caul, D. Smith, S. Baker; **Third Row:** M. Bostic, B Bishop, S. McClung, M. Gillespie, T. Carper, R. Austin, C. Carter, D. Carter, A. Wooding, M Hunter.

ALL-REGIONALS . . . C. Thompson, L. Hunter, D. Vanness, T. Ervin, C. Switzer, J. Hutton, M. Montgomery.

to Sing" in Musical Presentations

MEMBERS OF CHOIR . . . First Row: T. Pristash, S. Robinson, R. Whitmer, L. Whitehead, P. Cronin, V. Frame, V. Simmons, J. Landis, E. Yancey, J. Neal, M. Switzer, J. Entsminger, C. Thompson, D. Vanness, Mr. Argo; **Second Row:** M. Doss, G. Law, T. Pullin, L. Hunter, S. Hall, L. Reynolds, S. Waldren, M. Montgomery, S. Edwards, C. Jeter, J. Neal, C. Crawford, E. Sarjeant, K. Jamison; **Third Row:** L. Sampson, B. Kessinger, P. Bennington, C. Switzer, T. Ervin, J. Smith, M. Clark, R. Linkenhoker, D. Matheny, D. Jenkins, J. Hutton, M. Carter, J. Craghead, K. Halsey; **Seated:** D. Johnson, C. Rose.

EIGHTH GRADE CHOIR . . . K. Lugar, W. Parker, H. Reid, O. Hostetter, D. Hepler, A. Luckett, T. Blakey, M. Stinespring, D. Laudermilk, S. Campbell, T. Markham, K. Haynes, K. Abshire, T. Smith, B. Ginger.

Three classes in vocal music are offered at CHS. Vocal I trains eighth graders. In order to be in Vocal II and III, a student must audition in the spring. The Music Makers is a select group from Vocal II.

The talented choirs gave Thanksgiving and Christmas concerts, a late spring concert, and participated in the District VI Choral Festival. Representatives from the choirs entered all-district competition, and Carolyn Switzer represented CHS in the All-Virginia Chorus. Also, the Music Makers made several public appearances.

All the practice to make the CHS choirs a success paid off as they gained popularity throughout the school and community.

Major FHA Project Was Helping the

FHA OFFICERS . . . Debbie Sizemore, Treasurer; Sandy Hostetter, First Vice-president; Donna Haynes, President; Susan Price, Second Vice-president; Joan Humphries, Reporter; and Bonnie Conner, Secretary.

FHA MEMBERS . . . R. Abshire, J. Altizer, M. Anderson, L. Banker, B. Barber, A. Biggs, B. Brackenridge, I. Bradley, C. Brown, J. Brown, M. Brown, C. Cash, M. Clutter, C. Counts, M. Counts, J. Crawley, T. Crawley, B. Crowder, D. Dooley, B. Ehrisman, R. Fenderson, D. Forbes, T. Forbes, D. Gann, D. Gibson, J. Gibson, T. Gill, D. Grady, S. Hall, L. Halsey, D. Humphries, J. Humphries, B. Jerman, S. Jerman, F. Jones, R. Jones, C. Lugar, K. McAllister, D. Megginson, D. Miller, P. Miller, D. Myers, C. Parr, T. Persinger, D. Phillips, N. Pritt, L.

FHA Chapter at ACHS After the Flood

FHA OFFICERS . . . Sara Harter and Lisa Heighter, Co-chairmen Social Committee; Kathy Gibson, Historian; Robin Alfred, Parliamentarian; Gloria Pierce, Chaplain; Judy Gilbert and Kathy Hite, Co-directors of Activities.

Reed, C. Rose, D. Saunders, C. Scruggs, P. Semones, B. Sizemore, D. Sizemore, P. Spellman, L. Smith, D. Stone, V. Taylor, D. Thompson, E. Traylor, J. Whitmore, and T. Wilson.

ME? . . . Donna Haynes, recipient of the Betty Crocker Award, seems surprised over her good fortune.

A very active club at CHS, the FHA did a lot to help others this year. These girls helped needy families, but their major project was assisting the Future Homemakers at Alleghany County High after the flood struck their school last June.

Money-making projects included selling candy, caramel apples, stationery, and homemade Easter eggs. Social activities were numerous: a party for senior girls, a Christmas party, and the annual Mother-Daughter Banquet. A new touch was added this year as the girls also held a Father-Daughter Date Night. FHA members enjoyed a very fulfilling year, climaxed by the crowning of Miss FHA.

1973 "A" SQUAD MAJORETTES . . . Christy Loan, Head Majorette; Carol Scott; Brenda Thurston; Michalene Gillespie; Dianna Johnson; Maxella Spurlock.

Majorettes Improve School Image

"A" SQUAD MAJORETTES
Michalene Gillespie
Carol Scott
Brenda Thurston

"A" SQUAD MAJORETTES . . . Dianna Johnson; Christy Loan, Head Majorette; Maxella Spurlock.

Majorettes Add Beauty, Glamour,

CHS SQUAD "B" MAJORETTES . . . Front Row: Linda Whitehead, Karen Jamison, Head Majorette; Teri Byer; **Top Row:** Libby Donnally, Sandra Caldwell.

and Spirit to '73 Covington Band

CHS DRUM MAJOR . . . Jeffrey Hutton

CHS BANNER GIRLS . . . Debbie and Diane Gurd.

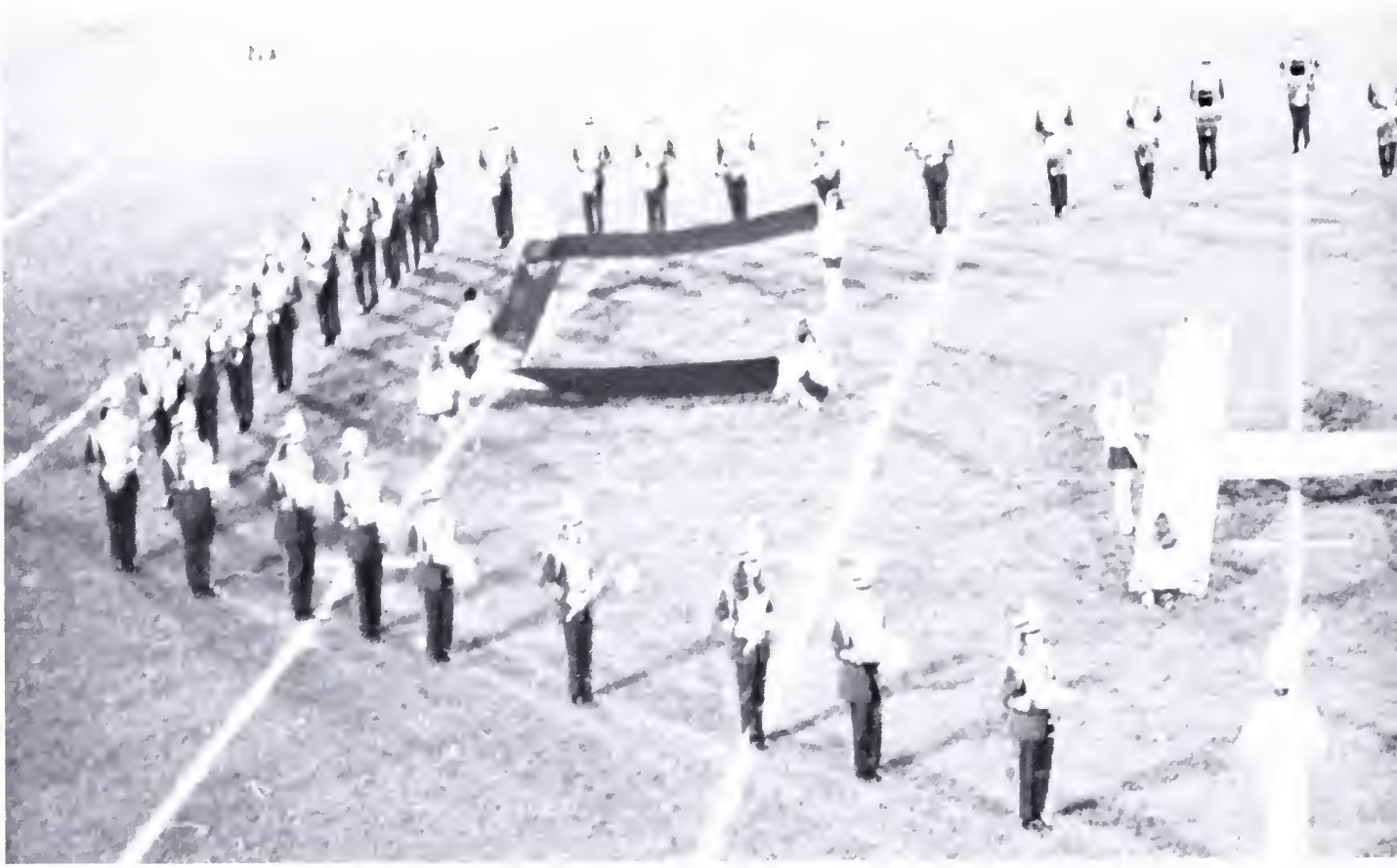
CHS FEATURE TWIRLER . . . Helen DeLigt

During the '72-'73 school year, both CHS majorette squads demonstrated their ability to capture various audiences with their talent and polished routines. For the first time, the Covington High Band presented as a highlight of its performances a feature twirler. Helen DeLigt created her own routines and fascinated viewers with fancy twirls and high throws of her baton.

Leading "A" squad of the majorettes through a successful year was Christy Loan; accomplished captain of the "B" squad was Karen Jamison.

Under the capable direction of drum major Jeffrey Hutton, the CHS Band turned in a year of rhythm and achievement.

CHS Band Has Many Money-Making



COVINGTON HIGH SCHOOL BAND . . . Clarinets: D. Vanness, S. Persinger, M. Spurlock, C. Rose, D. Galloway, D. Johnson, J. Smith, L. Rider, S. Caldwell, E. Jensen, K. Hendrick, T. Byer; **Bassoon:** R. Linkenhoker; **Saxophones:** J. Landis, J. Rock, P. Goodwin, H. Myers, A. Cash, L. Craft; **French Horns:** E. Plott, M. Cashwell, T. Robertson; **Baritones:** G. Hendrick, T. Robertson, D. Lockhart; **Basses:** J. Groome, W. Jackson, R. Carter; **Electric Bass:** P. DeLigt; **Flutes:** G. Jensen, T. Wood, D. Whiteside, D. Sams, C. Dressler, J. Miller, S. Clatterbaugh, A. Heighter, S. Cunningham,

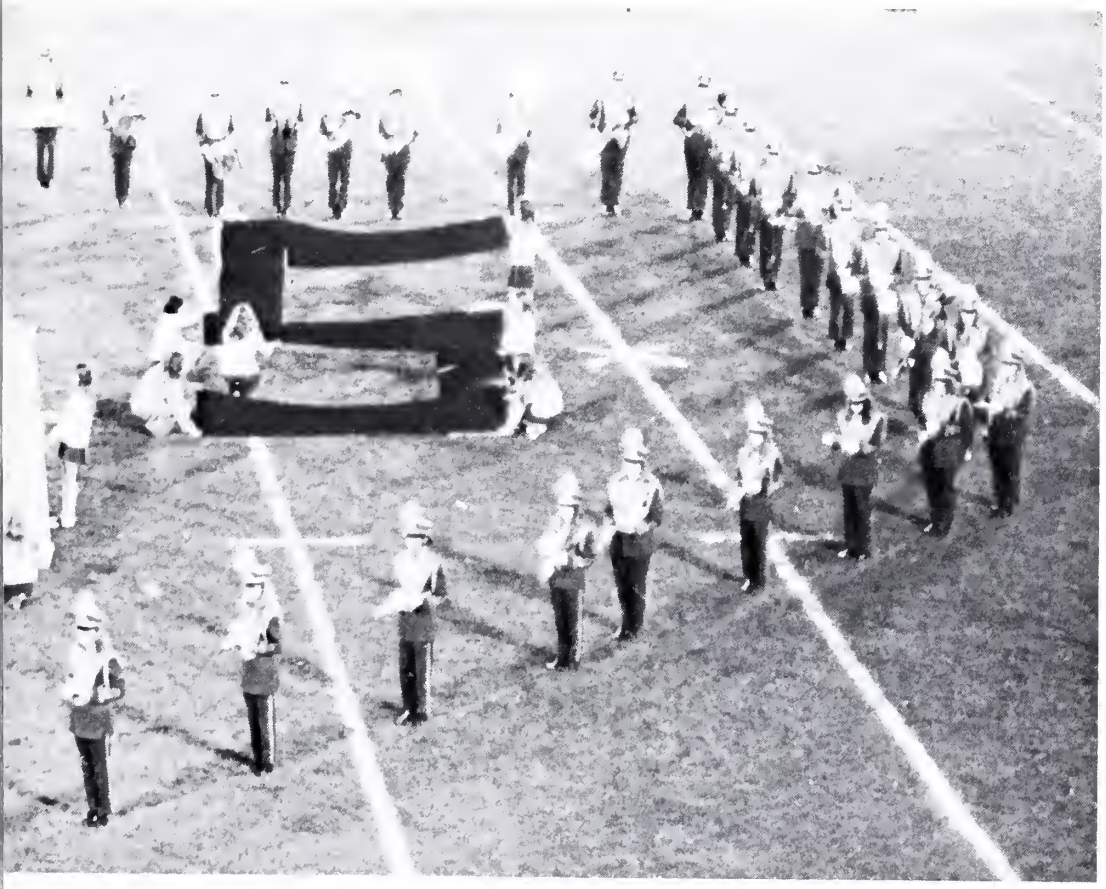
EIGHTH GRADE BAND . . . Melanie Doss, Carolyn Wade, Kay Smith, Sandy Tyree, Melissa Rimmer, Laura Humphries, Pam Warren, Susan Albert, Tammy Tingler, John Green, Carla Grimes, Sandy Sarjeant, Bonnie Robinson, Vicky Helper, Pamela Byer, Vickie Mann, Mark Huddleston, Ricky Holloway, Michael Page, Lynn Shepherd, Denise Johnson, Kathy Bess, Dianne Sibold, Kathy Davis, Jay Firebaugh, David Pence, Tracey Leet, Tim Green, Tim Bennington, Barbara Gibson, Jeannine McKnight, Mike Rapp, Billy Leary.

The Covington High Band, under the direction of Mr. Lawrence, is a vital part of school life.

Composed of students who are very dedicated to music and the school, the band began working early in August on songs and half-time shows. When football season began, the band was ready with unique and beautiful entertainment. Even when the team was losing, the band could manage a happy song.

A major project for the year was raising money for new band uniforms. Aided by faithful Band Boosters, band members held bake sales, sold fruit, and conducted monthly paper drives.

Projects To Buy New Band Uniforms



J. Puckett; **Trumpets:** D. Lockhart, P. Clements, G. Knick, M. Harding, B. Kelly, D. Craft, P. Broadnax, W. Meeks, L. Haywood, D. Tyree, M. Green, B. Glenn, L. Hepler, L. Pence; **Trombone:** R. Williams, J. Hutton, G. Rimmer, M. Abbott, G. Jones, M. Switzer, T. Seldomridge. **Percussion:** D. Dressler, G. Linkenhoker, N. Wade, L. Pfoutz, F. Dattler, D. Halsey, D. Matheny, G. Entsminger, T. Glenn.

ALL-VIRGINIA BAND REPRESENTATIVE . . . Kay Hendrick practices hard before tryouts.

PAPER! PAPER! PAPER! . . . These band members seem to enjoy helping with the monthly paper drive.

ALL-REGIONAL BAND REPRESENTATIVES . . . L. Pfoutz, E. Jensen, D. Vanness, R. Williams, K. Hendrick, S. Persinger, C. Rose, J. Hutton, G. Jensen.

Jayteens Give Young Men at CHS an

JAYTEEN MEMBERS . . . S. Miller, D. Trainer, P. Balser, M. Matheny, G. Rimmer, C. Walton, K. Clark, S. Gilbert, J. Munsey, L. Montgomery, G. Taylor, L. Dew, S. Myers, E. Jensen, M. Trumbo, D. Folks, G. Carpenter, S. Crawford, D. Matheny, G. Casto, G. Parker, D. Lowen, K. Jensen, R. McFadden, T. Sibold, P. Clements, R. Casey, H. Carpenter, D. Jenkins, T. Robertson, R. Swartz, T. Huffman, J. Neal, J. Nichols, G. Martin, M. Drudy, T. Peters, T. Shue, M. Green, T. Robertson.

Opportunity to Help Their Community

JAYTEEN OFFICERS . . . Greg Casto, President; David Lowen, Vice-president; Mike Drudy, Secretary; Dennis Trainer, Treasurer.

THANKS! . . . Eric Jensen thanks Mike Morrally for speaking at the Jayteens' mock election.

SUPER SALESMEN . . . Class representatives Gary Martin, Tad Robertson, and Freddie Camp assist State Jayteen President Malfourd Trumbo in selling apple butter.

The Jayteens have helped with many community projects under the direction of Bill Zimmerman, the Jaycee sponsor, and Kyle Keyser, the school sponsor. Their community projects included selling apple butter to help the mentally retarded children, working on light-a-bulb to help needy children at Christmas, and sponsoring such competitions as kid wrestling, dribble-and-shoot, and punt, pass, and kick. They played in Heart Fund charity basketball games and sponsored the mock election at school. The Jayteens are definitely an asset to the school and the community.

DE Club Offers On-the-Job Training

DE CLUB MEMBERS . . . First Row: D. Milton, C. Proffitt, R. Vipperman, G. Martin, D. Crawford, R. Andrews, B. Frame, D. Anderson, L. Wheeler, D. Easton, L. Rickett, R. Paxton, D. Hiner, M. Andrews, W. Webb, S. Robinson, R. Wallace, J. Spencer; **Second Row:** G. Linkenhoker, M. Via, R. Boguess, M. Grady, D. Frazier, B. Black, D. Dressler, B. Jones, R. Baker, E. Weese, J. Knighton, L. Whitmore, S. Wood; **Third Row:** L. Rucker, W. Bland, A. Spencer, L. Craft, S. Arritt, P. Kirby, D. Matheny, L. Burks, D. Dressler, S. Counts.

The Distributive Education Department at CHS trains students for future occupations. In the morning, the DE students usually attend three classes. In the afternoon, they receive on-the-job training at area businesses that provide part-time employment. As a result of their training, they earn a credit for graduation, valuable work experience, and pay. This type of learning in the DE classes is an asset in providing future employment.

The DE Club at Covington High has participated in many activities this year. They attended the Fall Rally, which was held at Bath County High. The club was also represented at conferences in Roanoke and Waynesboro. To end the year, they had their annual Employer-Employee Banquet.

DE BOY AND GIRL OF THE YEAR . . . Glenn Miller and Debbie Stinespring display their working spirit.

DE OFFICERS . . . Secretary, Debbie Stinespring; Vice-president, Mike McFarland; Treasurer, Patricia Arritt; President, Glenn Miller.

ART CLUB MEMBERS . . . Seated: P. Barber, N. Pritt, C. Mayo, M. Dew, J. Maynard, L. Reynolds, S. Slayton, M. Cash, R. Martin, D. Jenkins; **Standing:** D. Pritt, D. Sizemore, C. Leighton, S. Bess, S. Byer, S. White, L. Smith, Mr. Keyser.

Art Club Donates Painting to Library

The newly organized Art Club, which just drew up its constitution, had a very active year. Most important, they purchased a painting by Mrs. George Heydrick, which they donated to the library. They also sponsored a very successful dance and later attended an exhibit at Dabney Lancaster to round out the year.

HEAD SHRINKERS? . . . No, it's just two papier-maché heads made by the art classes.

IT'S LOVELY . . . Art Club officers Mike Cash, Vice-president; Teresa Tingler, President; and Sandy Gwinn, Secretary; donate a picture to the library; (Not pictured: Emma Crawford, Treasurer).

Yearbook Staff Hopes Puffs And

Dear Students,

The 1973 PUFFS AND PATCHES is your record of the year's activities at Covington High. Through print and pictures, we have tried to capture the good, happy, and sad moments that have made up this school year.

Putting the yearbook together has been work at times, but it has been a pleasure. We have learned how to cooperate with each other, how to arrange the pages, and how to use money wisely. There were often discrepancies over theme, colors, and locations of pictures, but the arguments were always settled. But the true climax of the year was when we actually saw our creation in print.

We would like to thank Mrs. Whiteside for helping us to make this yearbook a reality.

The Staff

1973 CO-EDITORS . . . Robin Dilley and Lynette Plott

FORTIES . . . No, it's just the 1973 **Puffs and Patches** Staff. **First Row:** Peggy Kenny, Teri Warlitner, Amy Huddleston, Peggy Heydrick, Kurt Jensen, Missy Snead, Donna Gaines, Libby Donnally, and Terry Fitzgerald. **Second Row:** Jerry Franson, Greg Casto, Cindy Jamison, Pam Buckland, Robin Dilley, Mrs. Whiteside, Sponsor, Lynette Plott, Perry Balser, and Sandra Kemper.

Patches Exemplifies School Year.

discuss problems concerning the annual.

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VARSITY TEAM . . . First Row: C. Walton, C. Droke, G. Taylor, T. Peters, G. Hendrick, J. Neal, G. Carpenter, P. Balser, D. Caldwell, C. Waldren, G. Poague; **Second Row:** T. Robertson, A. Smith, H. Carpenter, W. Lamb, S. Robinson, M. Trumbo, R. Warren, G. Jones, D. Tyree, J. Munsey, R. Crawford, B. Rothwell, C. Helton, R. Swartz, D. Persinger; **Third Row:** G. Casto, G. Parker, D. Lamb, M. Montgomery, M. Robinson, M.

Upset Cougars Suffer 1-9 Season

SILENCE IS GOLDEN . . . The team asks for some help against Clifton Forge, and they sure do need it!

Moore, M. Boone, P. Clements, T. Huffman, S. Gilbert, J. Franson, E. Megginson, W. Gann, S. Waldren, S. Pleasant, A. Carter, L. Twitty, R. McFadden.

Despite Hard Practice and Effort

COACHING STAFF . . . "Boodie" Albert, Head Coach; Mark Phillips, Line Coach; Tom Robertson, Back Coach.

COUGAR CO-CAPTAINS . . . Terry Peters, Greg Taylor, Mike Moore, Clifford Waldren.

Underclassmen Dominate Losing Squad

BEWARE! . . . The Cougar Country sign at Casey Field issues a warning to all intruders.

The coaches predicted 1972 to be a rebuilding year for the Cougar Varsity Football Squad. In spite of the individual ability and determination that each player had, inexperience was evident on the team. The result was a dismal 1-9 season.

The Cougars opened the season against tough AAA Andrew Lewis and played well in a 13-0 loss. The next game, Covington beat Lord Botetourt 7-6 in a great defensive battle. The rest of the season was all down hill since the final eight games were losses. Only one game, however, was a run away as the Cougars had their Homecoming spoiled by William Byrd, 48-6.

The team did show desire to win throughout most of the season. Trailing by as much as 28 points, Covington came back to lose to Drewry Mason by only a touchdown. The Cougars also gave District Champion Glenvar all they could handle in a 20-15 loss. Covington went to Alleghany looking for a victory and came back with a 27-7 loss, despite playing well for most of the game. Clifton Forge was held to just 7 points in the first half but left Casey Field with a 32-0 victory and the Little Brown Jug.

Many Cougars who will return next year gained valuable experience this season. With the ability as well as the experience that the returning team will possess, the Covington Cougar squad of '73 should be a top contender for the Blue Ridge crown.

GET THAT BALL, MAN . . . Linwood Twitty watches closely as Eddie Megginson fights an Addison player for the ball.

Next Year's Prospects Look Promising

COMING THROUGH . . . Chuck Walton sweeps past Addison.

25, 30, 35, . . . Greg Casto breaks loose on this interception.

TRIP . . . Jackie Munsey tries everything to get away from a Staunton tackler.

GET OFF MY BACK . . . Terry Peters leaves a trail of would-be tacklers behind.

Covington Defense Stops Botetourt

1972 VARSITY FOOTBALL STATISTICS

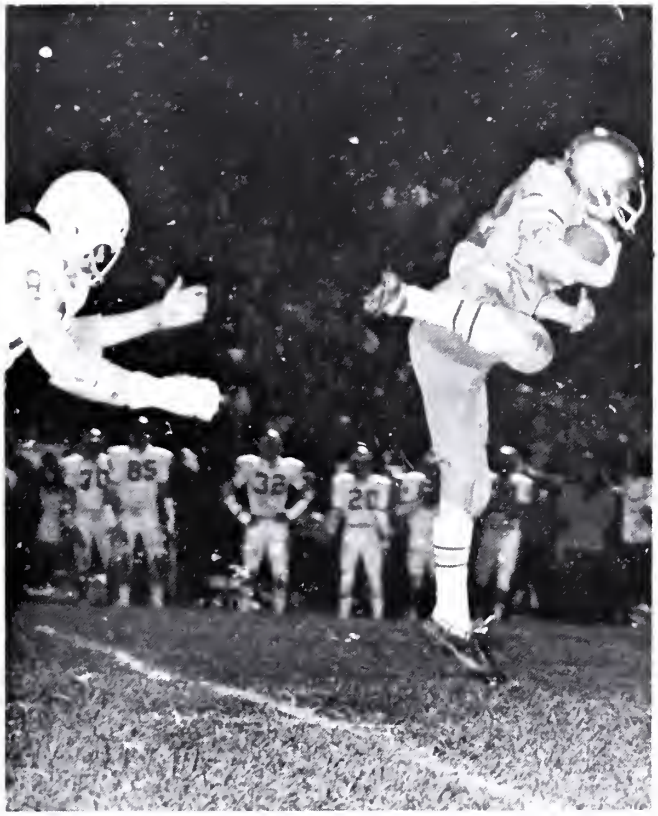
CHS		OPPONENT
0	Andrew Lewis	13
7	Lord Botetourt	6
0	Robert E. Lee	21
15	Glenvar	20
0	Greenbrier East	18
27	Drewry Mason	34
7	Alleghany	27
6	William Byrd	48
0	Clifton Forge	32
15	Addison	21

ROUGH GOING . . . Gary Hendrick runs against Byrd's tough defense.

ALL-AREA TEAM . . . First Row: Calvin Helton, Greg Taylor, Clifford Waldren; **Second Row:** Terry Peters, Mike Moore, Greg Casto, Garry Parker. Named to the All-District team were Greg Taylor, Mike Moore, and Garry Parker.

NOWHERE TO RUN . . . The Cougar defense gang tackles an Addison back.

WHERE IS IT? . . . The snow and an Addison defender obstructs Garry Parker's vision.



TRACK PRACTICE . . . Harold Carpenter works on his hurdle form during the game.

JV Team Shows Much Cougar Spirit

J.V. FOOTBALL TEAM . . . First Row: W. Kayser, J. Neal, J. Stinespring, R. Weese, J. Payne, M. Drudy, B. Jackson; **Second Row:** R. Swartz, D. Lipscomb, M. Switzer, D. Broughman, J. Bell, D. Huffman, E. Cash; **Third Row:** D. Buckland, W. Meeks, D. Andrews, G. Griffith, M. Warren, E. Bane, K. Twitty.

The JV and Eighth Grade teams combined to post a winning 9-4 season. The JV's fell to a 4-3 record, while the Eighth Graders rolled to an impressive 5-1 season.

The Junior Varsity squad realized two of their losses by only two points, these to Glenvar and Greenbrier West. Clifton Forge just managed to get by the little Cougars on one occasion, 14-6. The JV's avenged this loss by beating Clifton 12-8 at their second meeting. Alleghany lost twice to the little team, and Edgemeade was no competition, as they were downed 36-0.

The Eighth Graders used an explosive offense and a scrappy defense to make their season a success. Five of the six teams they played proved to be no match for the Baby Cougars. The Eighth Graders really wiped out White Sulphur Jr. High as they sent the battered team home with a 50-0 loss. Alleghany scored once in the two losses to CHS, and Bath County was shut out 8-0. Lewisburg Jr. High was the only team to boast a win over the baby team.

Both JV's and Eighth Grade showed much spirit and should be welcome additions to future varsity squads.

UGH . . . A host of "Baby Cougars" move in for the kill.

GOOD LUCK . . . John Payne scrambles for yardage.

Eighth Grade Has Good Season

EIGHTH GRADE FOOTBALL TEAM . . . First Row: G. Dill, D. Walton; **Second Row:** J. Garcia, S. Hutchens, T. Green, D. Green, E. Cook, T. Leet, J. Terry, C. Jordan; **Third Row:** O. Hostetter, R. Honts, K. Knick, K. Bush, R. Mills, E. Grumblatt, R. Neal, B. Fitzgerald, Coach Fore; **Fourth Row:** Coach Linkenhoker, G. Wood, D. Pence, D. Martin, R. Holloway, D. Rigney, B. Leary, W. Hayslett, R. Reid.

1972 JV FOOTBALL STATISTICS

CHS		OPPONENT
6	Clifton Forge	14
36	Edgemeade	0
6	Glenvar	8
14	Alleghany	8
20	Alleghany	0
14	Greenbrier West	16
12	Clifton Forge	8

1972 EIGHTH GRADE FOOTBALL STATISTICS

CHS		OPPONENT
26	Alleghany	6
18	Alleghany	0
0	Lewis Jr. High	6
14	Botetourt	6
50	White Sulphur Springs	0
8	Bath County	0

HERE I COME . . . Danny Walton scrambles for yardage up the middle.

CHS VARSITY CHEERLEADERS . . . Dora Robinson; Christy Leighton; Jeana Walton; Althea Hippert; Terry Gill, Co-Captain.

Cheerleaders Display School Spirit

SMILE . . . Cheerleaders always try to smile when they're faced with a camera.

CHS VARSITY CHEERLEADERS . . . Cindy Jamison, Co-Captain; Tina Pristash; Carolyn Switzer; Debbie Jo Humphries; Lee Ann Mann.

DOLLS . . . These cuties told the football team how to beat mean old Andrew Lewis.

GIVE US FIVE . . . The cheerleaders pep the basketball players up before the game.

WHAT NEXT? . . . Co-Captains Terry Gill and Cindy Jamison make plans for practice.

EIGHTH GRADE CHEERLEADERS . . . First Row: Kathy Haynes; **Second Row:** Dianne Sibold, Jeannine McKnight, Teresa Markham, Sandy Tyree; **Third Row:** Tammy Tingler, Linda Halsey, Kathy McAllister.

PROBLEMS! . . . JV Co-Captain Teresa Ervin; JV Captain Peggy Cronin; Eighth Grade Captain Jeannine McKnight; Eighth Grade Co-Captain Tammy Tingler; talk things over.

From tryouts, to summer practice, to football season, to basketball season, a cheerleader almost lives at her school, but she doesn't mind. Once she gets through a pep rally smoothly or does a cheer correctly at a game, she realizes that the hours of practice weren't so bad. Yelling, jumping, and cheering, she accepts the thrill of victory and the agony of defeat as she stirs the spirit of both students and players. Being a cheerleader at CHS is truly an honor.

CHEERLEADERS? . . . No, it's the hardworking cheerleading sponsors, Miss Goad and Miss Slater, who are always ready for anything.

Cheerleaders Highlight School Year

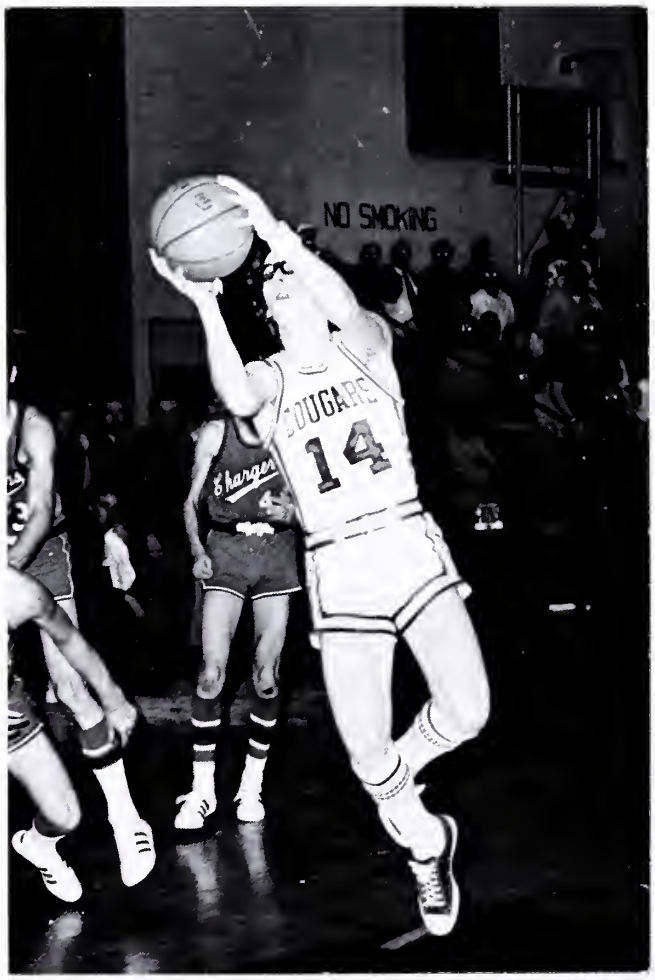
LET'S TAKE A BREAK . . . JV and Eighth Grade cheerleaders take a little time off from practice.

JV CHEERLEADERS . . . First Row: Peggy Cronin; **Second Row:** Kim Warlitner, Sheryl Hemp, Cristy Crawford, Kathy Alfred; **Third Row:** Cheri Kelley, Joan Craghead, Carol Dressler, Lisa Heighter; **Fourth Row:** Teresa Ervin.

Cougar Cagers Suffer Losing Season

VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM . . . L. O'Rourke (Manager), C. Jeter, B. Rice, L. Twitty, L. Burks, G. Parker, T. Morgan, D. Lamb, R. Droke, D. Matheny, S. Myers, D. Tyree, J. Nichols, K. Twitty, M. Swartz (Manager).

UP AND AWAY . . . Bill Rice lays in for two points.



TEABERRY SHUFFLE . . . Joel Nichols adds entertainment to the game.

But the Future Looks Promising

The 1973 basketball season held much frustration and disappointment. Despite the regretful 6-13 record, there were some bright moments for the Cougars. For example, the Cougars captured the first Alleghany Christmas Tournament with wins over Alleghany County and Clifton Forge. For the second consecutive year, they were honored by receiving the Blue Ridge District Sportsmanship Award. Other bright spots were the 65-61 victory over Bath County and the 73-68 win over Greenbrier East.

Keith Twitty, a freshman, was the leading scorer for the Cougars with an average of 16 points per game. For his outstanding play, he was voted to the All-area basketball team, a noteworthy honor for a freshman.

In the Blue Ridge District Tournament, held at the end of the regular basketball season at the Roanoke Civic Center, Covington clashed with Lord Botetourt. The Cougars were downed by the Cavaliers with a score of 70-52.

There were only three seniors on the relatively young team this year. These were veterans Don Lamb, Billy Rice, and Chip Droke. With at least six front line players returning next year, Coach Sanford Carper is looking forward to another year with high hopes of a winning season.

WHOOSH . . . The Cougars scorch the net during warm-ups.

SKYING . . . Lonnie Burks hauls in a rebound against Bath County.

1973 VARSITY BASKETBALL STATISTICS

CHS		OPPONENT
65	Bath County	61
42	Lord Botetourt	78
42	Glenvar	71
55	Clifton Forge	76
40	Greenbrier East	80
46	William Byrd	80
78	Alleghany County	60
49	Addison	81
58	Bath County	64
73	Greenbrier East	68
62	Lord Botetourt	84
55	Glenvar	76
53	Clifton Forge	84
70	Alleghany County	63
54	William Byrd	68
62	Addison	101
*65	Alleghany County	54
*58	Clifton Forge	56

*Christmas Tournament

Blue Ridge District Tournament

52	Lord Botetourt	70

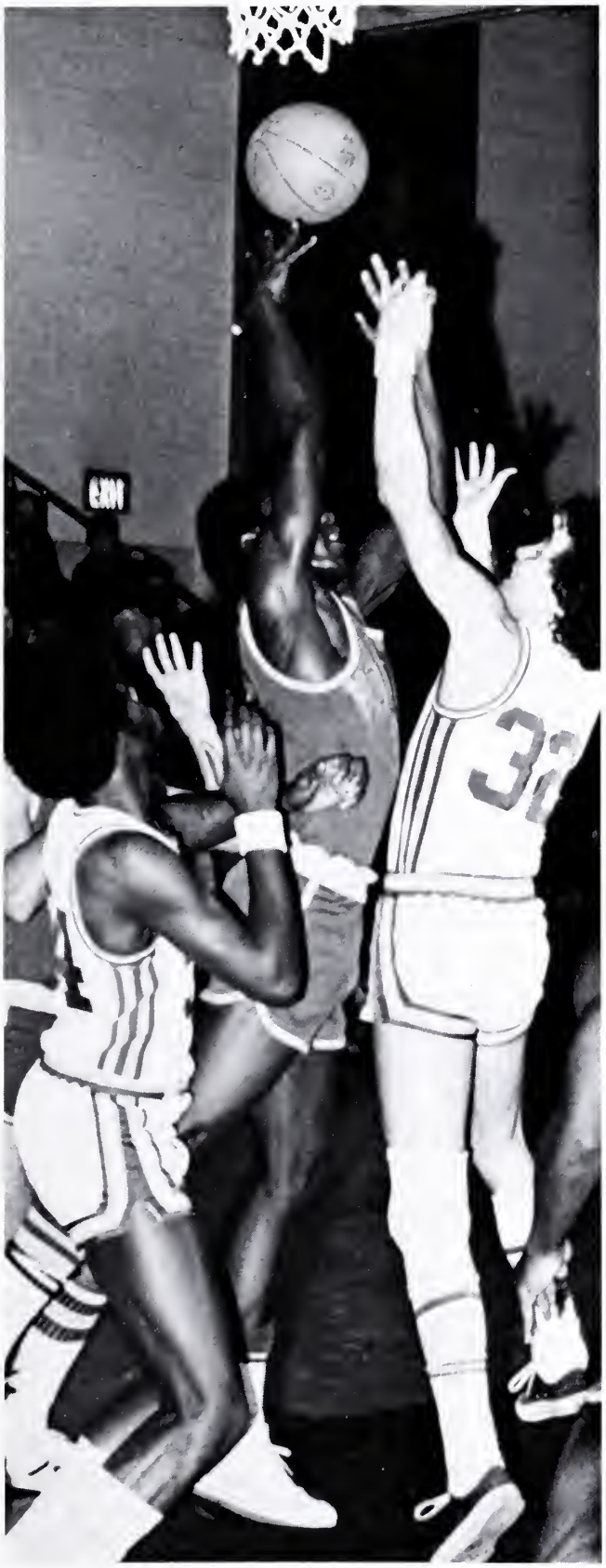
Cougars Presented Sportsmanship

GET BACK . . . Tim Morgan smacks down a shot, as Chip Droke lends a hand.

BIG P . . . Garry Parker comes down with a crucial rebound.

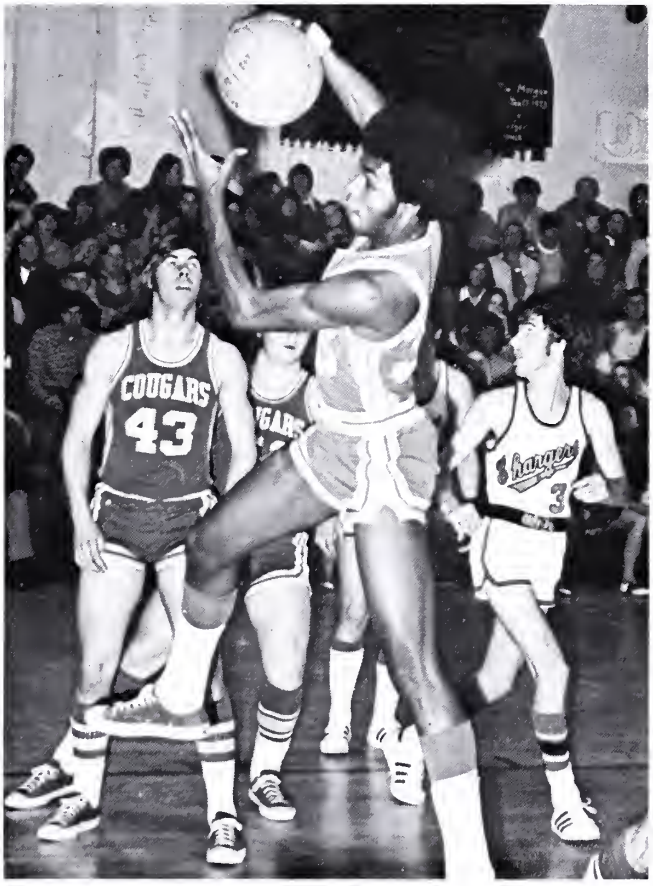
GOING IN FOR TWO . . . Keith Twitty drives in for two points against Bath County.

Trophy for Second Consecutive Year



HATCHET . . . Don Lamb draws a foul against arch-rival Clifton Forge.

CONGRATULATIONS . . . Coach Carper accepts the Christmas Tournament trophy with pleasure.



IT'S ALL MINE . . . Tim Morgan comes down with a rebound against the Chargers.

Junior Varsity and Eighth Grade

JV BASKETBALL TEAM . . . Front Row: D. Miller, B. Cash, M. Matheny, B. Jackson, M. Smith, R. Swartz, R. Crawford, D. Halsey; **Second Row:** G. Luckett, J. Munsey, R. Warren, J. Maynard, S. Pleasant, A. Bostick, Coach Fuhrman.

1973 JV BASKETBALL STATISTICS

CHS		OPPONENT
53	Bath County	27
52	Lord Botetourt	40
54	Glenvar	32
59	Clifton Forge	37
65	Greenbrier East	75
51	William Byrd	49
52	Alleghany County	39
49	Lord Botetourt	47
74	Bath County	39
63	Greenbrier East	62
41	Addison	79
60	Glenvar	31
56	Clifton Forge	41
49	William Byrd	51
63	Alleghany County	54
49	Addison	84
55	Alleghany County	49
	DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP	
57	Addison	68
	EIGHTH GRADE STATISTICS	
33	Botetourt Int.	40
46	Clifton Forge	47
66	Alleghany County	26
55	Bath County	8
49	Clifton Forge	36
47	Alleghany County	21
44	Bath County	17
54	Clifton Forge	41
32	Botetourt Int.	35
45	Alleghany County	33

BOUNDING . . . A host of Cougars bring down a rebound against Alleghany.

Teams Show Enthusiasm and Promise

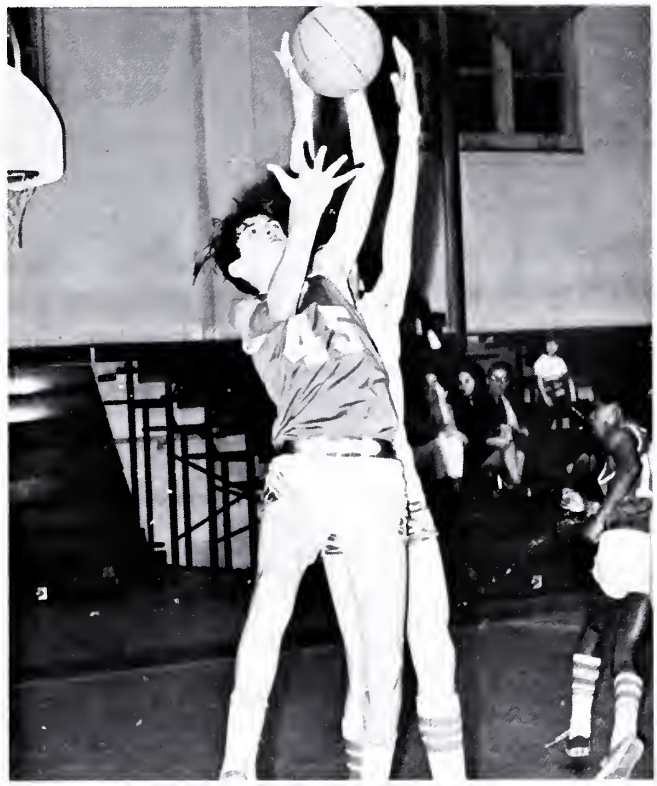
Both the Eighth Grade and Junior Varsity basketball teams ended their seasons with winning records. The season was marked with much excitement and many surprises for both teams.

The Junior Varsity team turned in an outstanding 13-5 record and barely missed the district championship. They started out with four straight wins, only to suffer a 75-65 loss at the hands of Greenbrier East. Recovering quickly, they bounded back with five more wins in a row, beginning their streak with a thrilling 51-49 overtime defeat of William Byrd. In the Blue Ridge District championship, the little Cougars were handed a 68-57 loss by Addison.

Jackie Munsey had a fine season, averaging 20 points a game. He was assisted by Co-captain Richard Warren. Mr. Rick Fuhrman ended his third year as JV coach.

The Eighth Grade team, coached by Mr. Jim Fore, finished with a record of 7-3. Although they started the season with two losses from Lord Botetourt and Clifton Forge, they came back to prove their potential by winning six games in a row. One of their greatest triumphs was a 66-26 crush of Alleghany County. The baby Cougars were led by Co-captains John Holloway and Steven Hunter.

The JV and Eighth Grade teams gained valuable experience this year. With their proven success, the outlook is good for the varsity team.



GOT IT . . . D. Martin snags a bound for the Cougar cagers.

EIGHTH GRADE BASKETBALL TEAM . . . First Row: D. Pence, M. Mann, R. Neal, B. Fitzgerald, C. Jordan. **Second Row:** T. Bennington, W. Parker, D. Rigney, D. Martin, J. Holloway, L. Jeter, S. Hunter, R. Lee, Coach Fore.

Grapplers Post Unimpressive Record

1973 VARSITY WRESTLING TEAM . . . First Row: M. Green, D. Crawford, D. Trainer, G. Payne, J. Payne, R. Sampson; **Second Row:** T. Peters, C. Walton, F. Camp, M. Robinson, M. Moore, E. Bane, F. Dattler, Manager.

The varsity wrestling team ended its season with a disappointing 2-11 record. Although the team record was gloomy, there were some individual triumphs.

George Payne, Dennis Trainer, and Mike Moore each had wins in the Christmas Tournament held at Clifton Forge. In the Blue Ridge District Tournament at William Byrd, Terry Peters placed second, Payne and Trainer each placed third, and Mike Green placed fourth. Peters placed third in the regional tournament at Glenvar.

There were two new faces in the coaching ranks this year. These were Mr. Rod Spradlin, who coached the varsity team, and Mr. Wayne Ogden, who was the junior varsity mentor.

The JV team, made up mostly of eighth graders, turned in a respectable 5-5-1 record. Two of their most exciting wins were an 18-0 victory over Clifton Forge and a 42-0 rout of Lord Botetourt.

The Cougars will lose five outstanding wrestlers in George Payne, Terry Peters, Mike Moore, Marshall Robinson, and Chuck Walton. With the experience of the other varsity wrestlers and the enthusiasm of the upcoming JV grapplers, the future looks more encouraging for Cougar wrestling.

RAP SESSION . . . Coach Spradlin reviews some pointers during practice.

But Show Potential for the Future

1972-73 VARSITY WRESTLING STATISTICS

CHS		OPPONENT
12	Glenvar	48
18	Alleghany County	52
30	VSDB	41
12	Alleghany County	52
39	Clifton Forge	21
0	William Byrd	57
27	Addison	35
11	Lord Botetourt	49
27	Clifton Forge	33
21	Greenbrier East	24

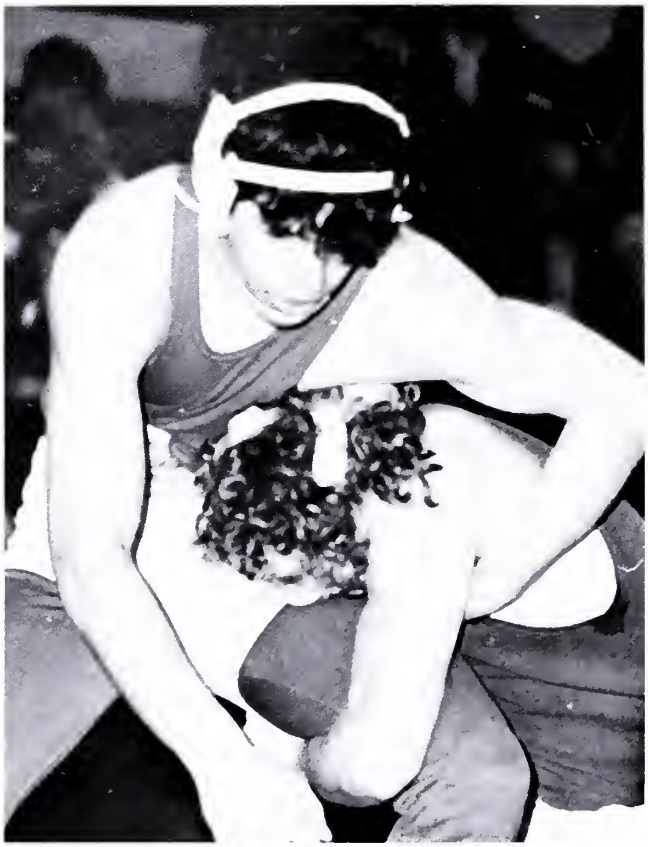
JV STATISTICS

21	Glenvar	21
20	Alleghany County	48
3	VSDB	12
12	Alleghany County	36
18	Clifton Forge	0
6	William Byrd	31
6	Addison	18
42	Lord Botetourt	0
6	Clifton Forge	0
9	Greenbrier East	4
10	Greenbrier East	9

TAKE DOWN . . . G. Payne shows his good form by putting his opponent to the mat.

COME BACK . . . R. Sampson uses a reversal to make a comeback against Alleghany.

Young Varsity Matmen Show Spirit



LET'S GO . . . JV Robert Sampson gets set to break free.

ANOTHER WIN FOR LITTLE D . . . Dennis Trainer is defeating his Alleghany foe.

WHAT NOW, COACH? . . . G. Payne seems to be asking for advice, but is actually setting up his "Granby Roll".

JV Matmen Record Fine 5-5-1 Mark

1973 JV WRESTLING TEAM . . . First Row: T. Green, J. Horton, C. Phillips, R. Hosey; **Second Row:** B. Leary, M. Wickline, J. Green, S. Hutchens.

GET READY . . . Keith Clark prepares to do battle with his Alleghany rival.

TRACK — A Rising Sport

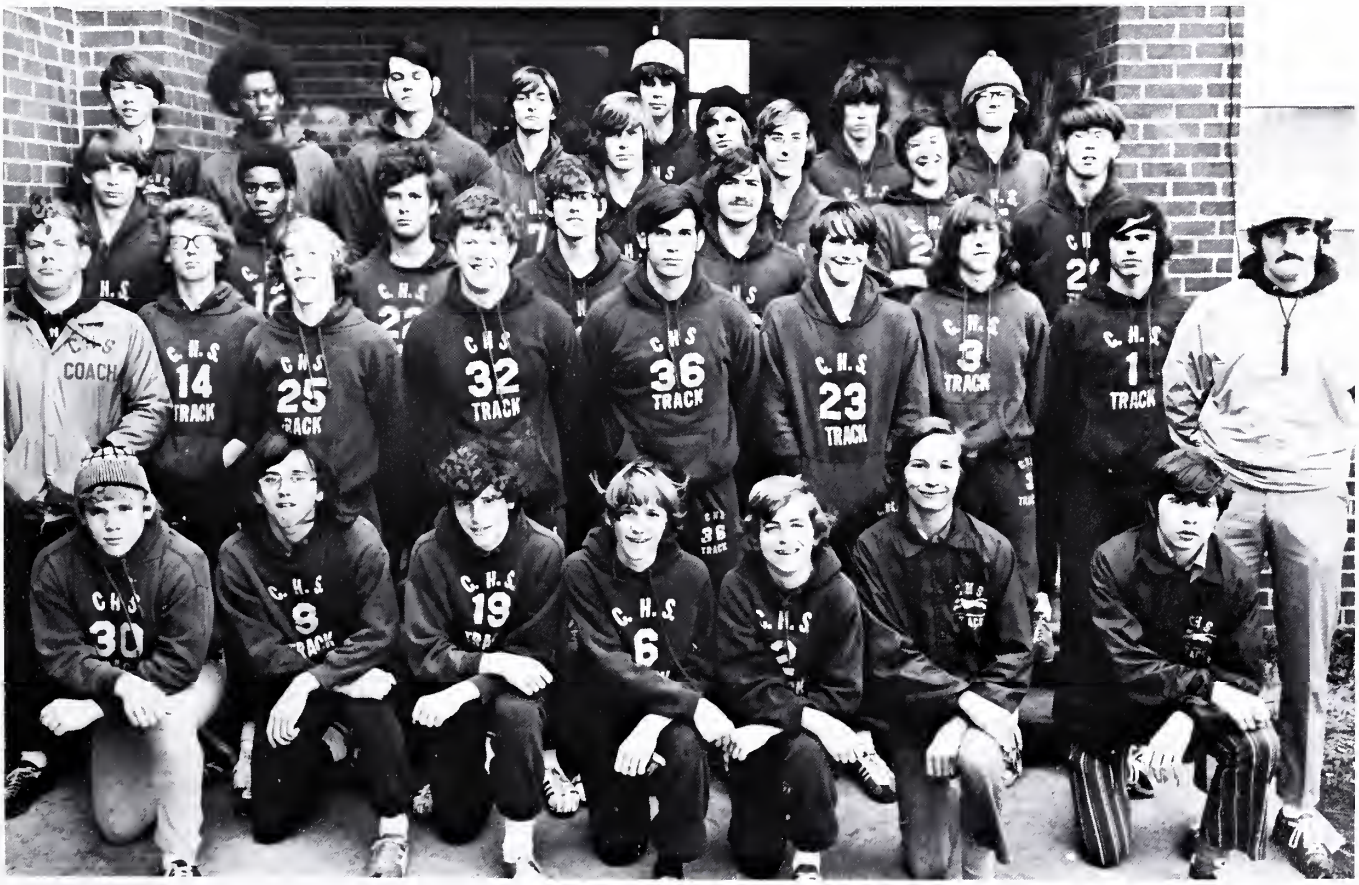
Future Bright for Trackmen

This year at Covington High track was the only sport to produce a winning season. Composed mainly of underclassmen, the CHS thinclads won four of six dual meets and tied for third place in the district meet. Victories were recorded against Alleghany, Lord Botetourt, Clifton Forge, and William Byrd. District champion Addison held off a fierce Cougar rally to win by a mere point. Glenvar, too, just got by Covington in a meet that was very close all the way. CHS tied with Lord Botetourt in the district meet with 41 points and also sent eleven runners to the regional meet at Glenvar, where they made an exceptional showing.

Indeed the next season looks bright for Cougar trackmen, and a state title could well be in the future.

LETTERMEN . . . First Row: Harold Carpenter, George Payne, Greg Casto; **Second Row:** Lacy Caul, Don Lamb, Mike Moore, Mike Wickline.

Track Boasts Only Winning Season



CHS TRACK TEAM . . . First Row: G. Hendrick, M. Smith, R. Swartz, G. Schwalenberg, A. Hillmer, G. Willis, R. Jeffries; **Second Row:** Coach Phillips, D. Alfred, J. Nichols, M. Montgomery, M. Moore, G. Payne, P. Harrison, S. Miller, Coach Fuhrman; **Third Row:** M. Wickline, S. Pleasant, J. Rock, S. Edwards, G. Jones; **Fourth Row:** J. Kincaid, L. Caul, A. Smith, R. Schmaeman, T. Huffman, D. Lamb, H. Carpenter, W. Meeks, G. Casto, L. Pence, R. McFadden, J. Hutton.

LIFTOFF . . . Mike Moore heaves the shot with confidence.

YOUR TURN . . . Freshmen Steve Pleasant and Willard Meeks give it all they've got in the mile relay.

JUST TAKING A BREAK . . . Even the **Cougar** track team needs a rest now and then.

1973 TRACK STATISTICS

CHS		OPPONENT
79	Alleghany	57
72	Lord Botetourt	64
70	Glenvar	86
70	Clifton Forge	14
1	B. V. Relays	
69	William Byrd	67
0	Radford	
67	Addison	68
41	District	3rd
6	Regionals	10th

TRUE GRIT . . . Todd Huffman shows the determination that made track a success.

UP AND OVER . . . "Hobby" Payne illustrates how easy it is to pole vault.

IT'S JUST THAT SIMPLE . . . Greg Casto high jumps his way to regional competition.

FLYING . . . Robert Swartz displays his unusual form in the triple jump.

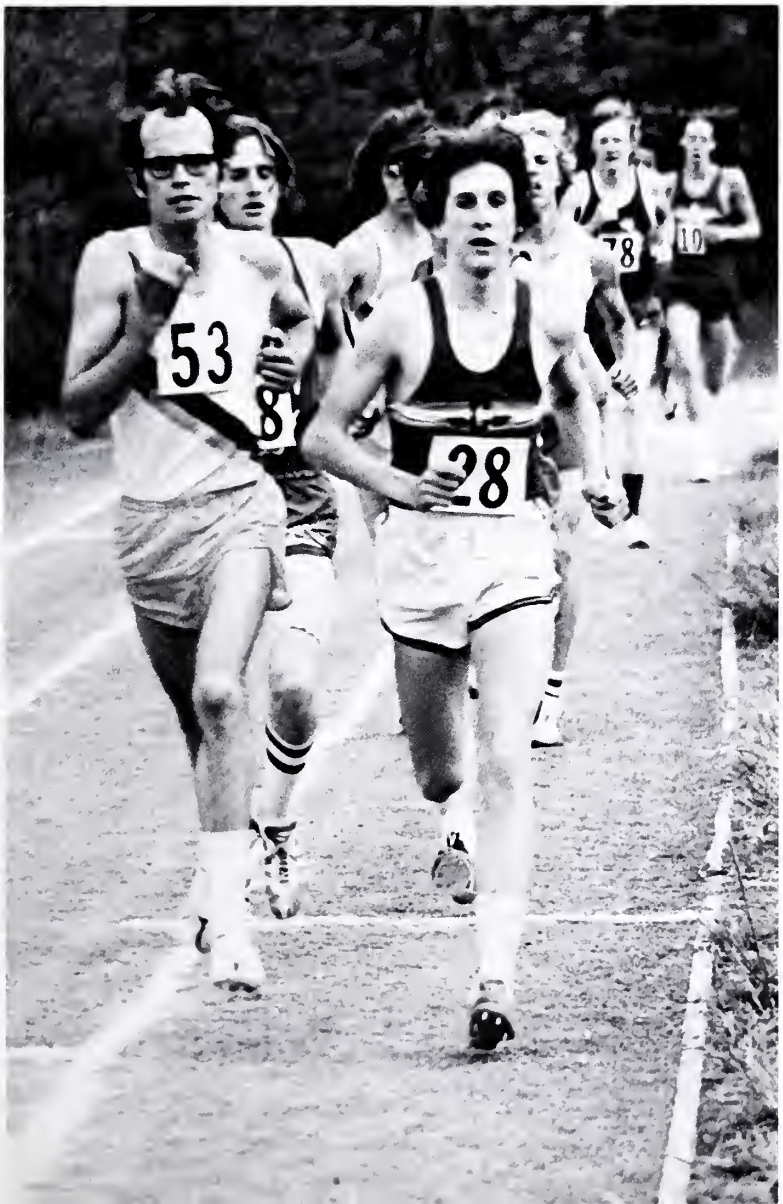
ONE TO GO . . . Marc Smith hurdles his way to second place in the district intermediate hurdles.

LOOK OF A WINNER . . . Harold Carpenter breaks the tape for the district winning mile relay team.

Trackmen Place Third in District

STRATEGY . . . Coaches Fuhrman and Phillips and Co-captains Mike Moore, Don Lamb, and Greg Casto confer on the upcoming meet.

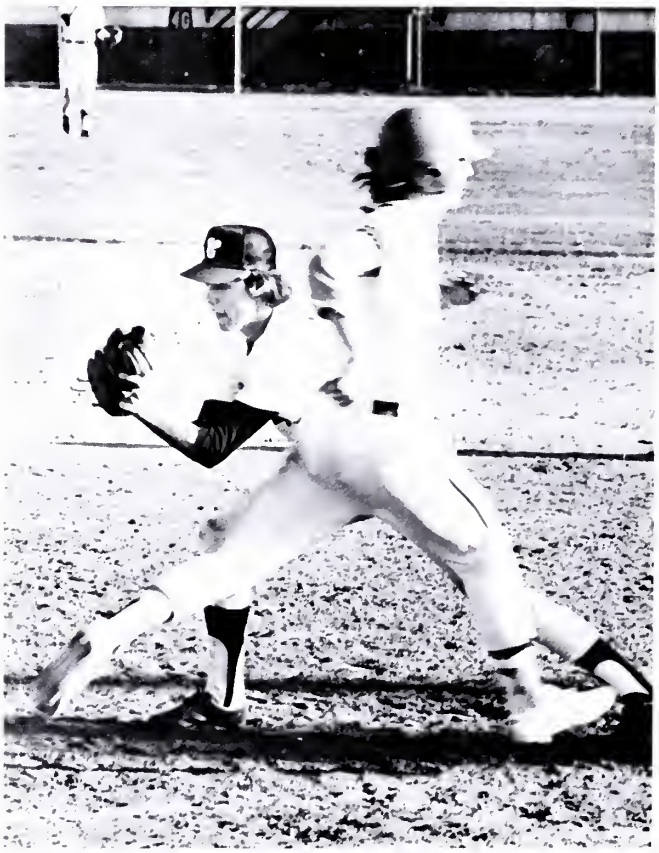
LEADING THE PACK . . . Pat Harrison takes the lead to win the district in the two-mile.



MADE IT . . . Gerald Jones dives for the finish line in the 440.

Young Team Is Hurt by Bad Breaks

JUBILATION! . . . The Cougars congratulate Steve Robinson after his one-hit victory over Clifton Forge.



GOT HIM . . . Doug Matheny has a Terrier out at first.

The varsity baseball team finished their season with a 5-11 record for all games. Even though they had a losing season, the hardballers exhibited much determination and spirit throughout the season.

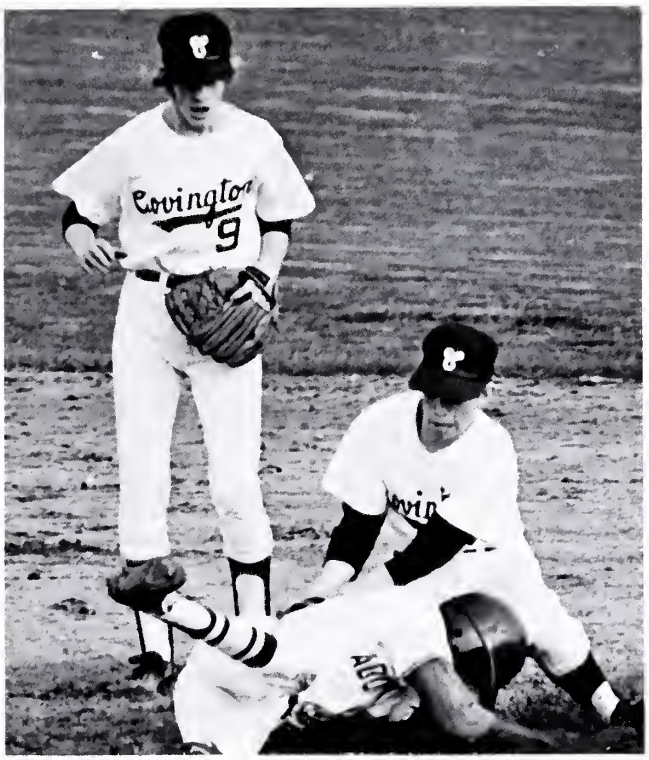
Some of the high points of the season were a 1-0 win over Clifton Forge, behind the one-hit pitching of Steve Robinson, and a 10-1 crush of Lord Botetourt. Other highlights were victories over Addison and Greenbrier East. In the Blue Ridge District Tournament at Glenvar, the Cougars were handed a 4-1 loss by Clifton Forge.

Much of the team's effort was led by Co-captain Billy Rice. He had the top batting average of .378 and was the only Covington player named to the All-Blue Ridge District Team. Co-captain Chip Droke had the second highest average of .307.

Only three seniors will depart from the team this year. Billy Rice, Chip Droke, and Curtis Hamm all proved to be great assets to the young squad. With most of this year's team returning next year, Coach Phil Douglas is looking to next season with enthusiasm.

The JV team, under the coaching of Mr. Rodney Spradlin, fell to a 2-4 season. The Baby Cougars were led by Lyle Lipscomb, Buddy Cash, and Tim Green.

Rice Named to All-Blue Ridge Team

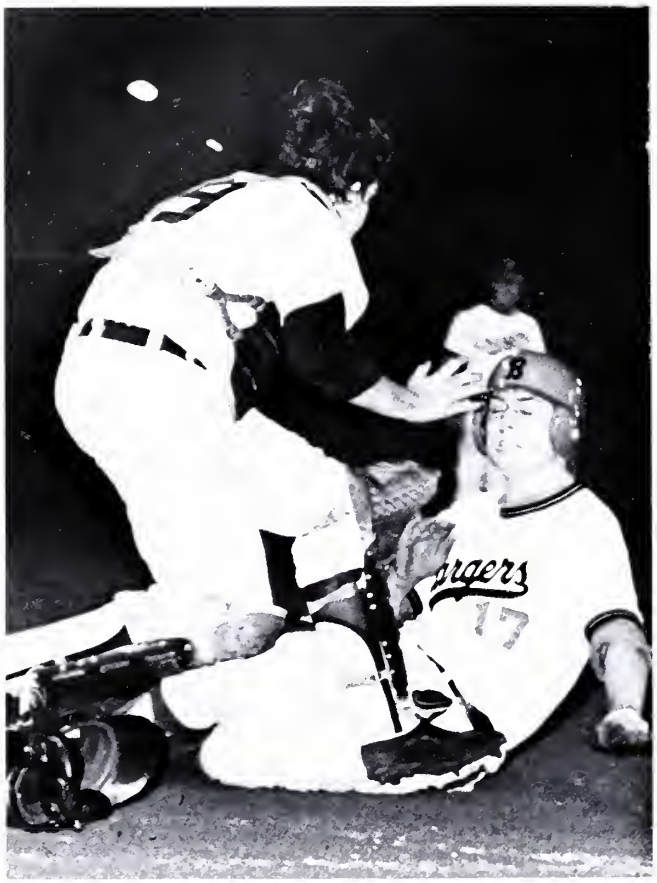


MY GOODNESS! . . . Steve Clark looks surprised at Munsey's play at second.

1973 VARSITY BASEBALL STATISTICS

CHS		OPPONENT
2	Glenvar	4
1	Clifton Forge	0
2	Addison	1
0	William Byrd	7
7	Greenbrier East	1
5	Lord Botetourt	1
1	Glenvar	14
2	Clifton Forge	6
1	Bath County	9
1	William Byrd	7
5	Bath County	8
2	Alleghany County	6
1	Alleghany County	10
0	Addison	9
	DISTRICT PLAY-OFFS	
1	Clifton Forge	4

VARSITY BASEBALL TEAM . . . First Row: M. Andrews, C. Hamm, K. Munsey, P. Balser, D. Caldwell, R. Crawford, D. Huffman; **Second Row:** E. Bane, W. Rice, R. Warren, R. Droke, S. Robinson, S. Clark, Coach Douglas.



YOU'RE OUT! . . . Eddie Bane puts the tag on a sliding Charger.

MAN IN CHARGE . . . Perry Balser, acting as first base coach, surveys the situation.

WILL HE MAKE IT? . . . Billy Rice's chances of making it to second base look doubtful.

Little Cougars Show Hope For Future

JV BASEBALL TEAM . . . First Row: L. Arritt, K. Clark, T. Gillespie, L. Lipscomb, C. Phillips, Manager; **Second Row:** Coach Spradlin, J. Neal, L. O'Rourke, W. Ward, R. Leighton, R. Myers, T. Green; **Third Row:** M. Warren, R. Lee, F. Dattler, B. Cash, S. Givens.

1973 JV BASEBALL STATISTICS

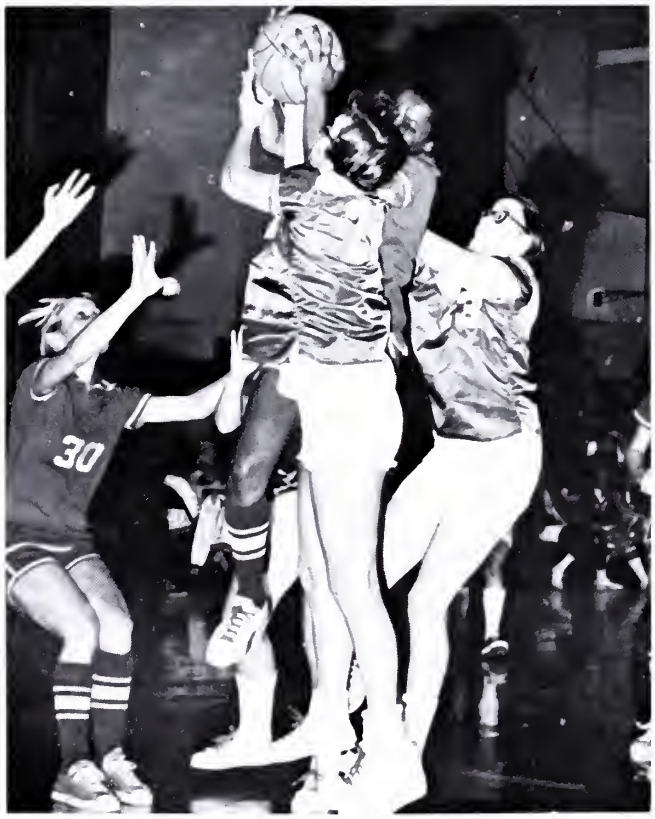
CHS		OPPONENT
5	Alleghany County	24
0	Alleghany County	8
0	Alleghany County	7
7	Boys' Home	8
14	Boys' Home	4
16	Boys' Home	9

A CLOSE ONE! . . . Billy Rice nabs a Mountie opponent.

LIGHTNING . . . R. Crawford streaks past the catcher for the only run against Alleghany.

Girls' Basketball Gains Popularity

GIRLS' VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM . . . R. Dilley, B. Mappus, V. Holloway, J. Holloway, D. Carter, D. Stewart, P. Stull, D. Via, D. Miller, B. Conner, K. Miller, S. Persinger, J. Humphries.



REBOUND . . . Johnetta Holloway brings down an important rebound as Brenda Mappus stands ready.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL STATISTICS

CHS		OPPONENT
14	James River	33
29	Alleghany	32
36	Clifton Forge	33
19	Bath County	28
25	Alleghany	30
14	Bath County	31
18	Clifton Forge	22
11	James River	22

JUNIOR VARSITY

CHS		OPPONENT
29	James River	10
51	Alleghany	12
23	Clifton Forge	50
16	Bath County	15
21	Alleghany	19
25	Bath County	6
17	Clifton Forge	36
17	James River	26

Cougarettes On The Move

The 1972-73 school year opened the second season for girls' basketball. Both coaches and many of the players returned to the courts to see what the season would bring. New uniforms, new players, and new plays kept the season swinging. Late hours and hard practices, combined with fun, trips, and excitement, prompted the girls to work diligently to overcome their more experienced opponents. Things began to look up at the end of the season, and Miss Goad and Miss Slater have expressed high hopes for next year's teams.

Miss Slater's nine JV players showed much talent and spunk this year with a 5-3 overall record. Five victories helped the team morale and boosted everyone's spirits. Coach Slater will lose several of her players to the varsity squad next year, but she still sees talent, coordination, and skill in next year's team.

Miss Goad of the varsity team also predicts a winning future. She will lose only three seniors, leaving the team with experience for the upcoming season. Even though the 1-7 record was quite disappointing, Coach Goad expects to turn the tables against competition next year. With power and experience, pitfalls should be overcome and with them their 1-7 record.

Overall, the Cougarettes played well, with spirit and sportsmanship. Even though things would sometimes get in a frenzy, they were cooled with short time-outs. The girls are looking forward to a fighting team next year. The crystal ball shows many seasons ahead for girls' basketball at CHS.

GUARD 'EM, GIRLS . . . Brenda Mappus and Joan Humphries defend an Alleghany opponent.

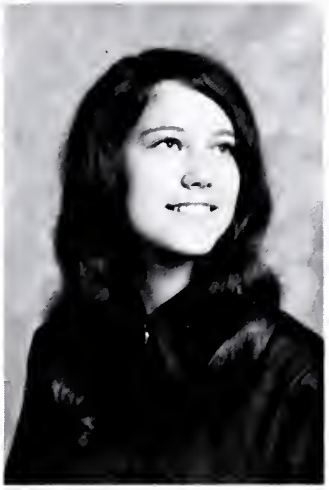
GIRLS' JV TEAM . . . First Row: D. Megginson, J. Altizer, L. Garten, B. Angle, S. Slayton, Miss Slater; **Second Row:** C. Carter, K. Smith, A. Biggs, G. Keith, C. Lugar.

STUDENTS

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS . . . Terry Peters, President; Christy Loan, Vice-president; Michalene Gillespie, Secretary; and Pier Broadnax, Treasurer.

Halleluiah! We're Seniors at Last!

Sharon Medina Adams



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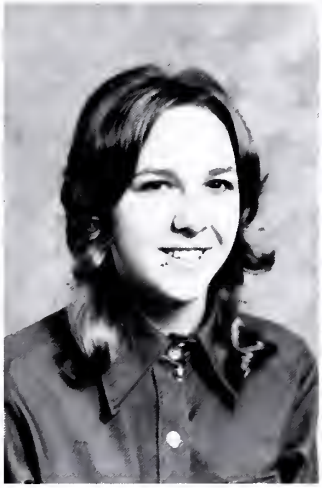

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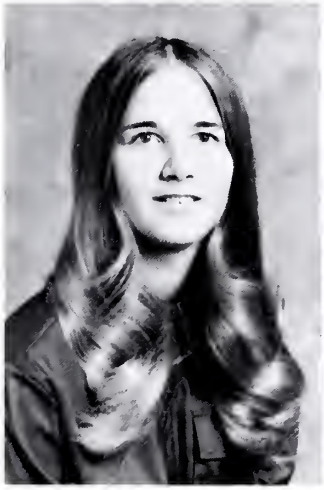
Ronnie Lee Andrews



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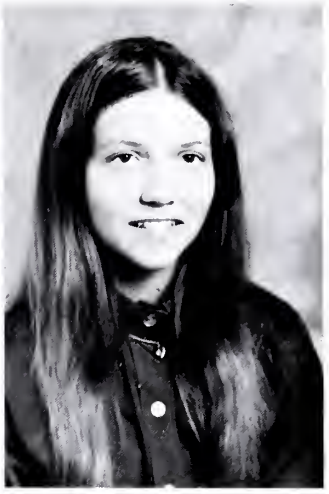

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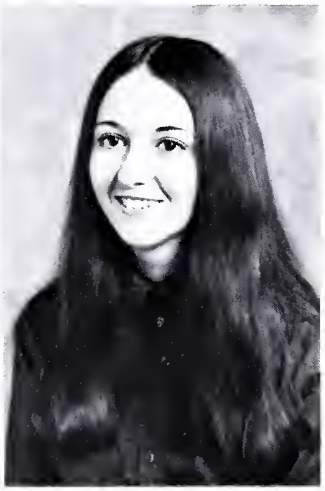
Sandra Gail Bess

Seniors Look to the Future, Enjoy

Beverly Plott Bishop



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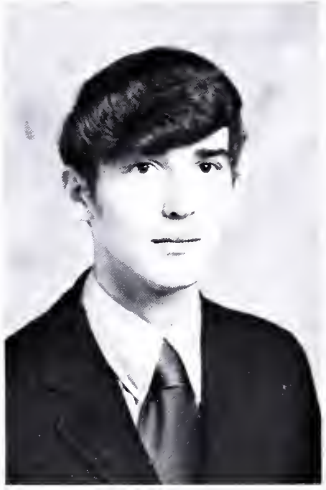


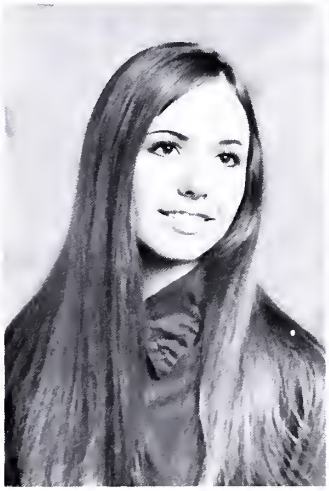
Daniel William Boone

Pier Angeli Broadnax

Pamela Sue Buckland

Katherine Ann Burks

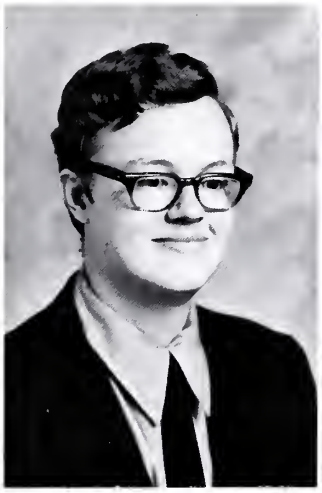
IT'S A GREAT FEELING! . . . Seniors often have a lot to be happy about, huh, Peggy and Bobby?



Terry Gail Carper

Richard Fawley Casey

the Present, and Laugh About the Past



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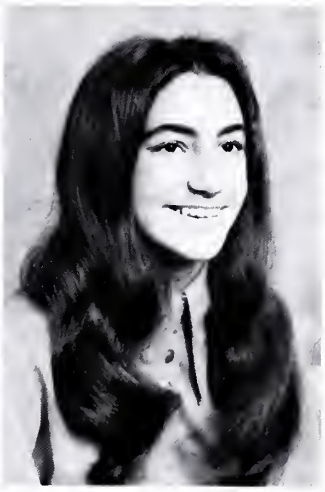
Mary Cecile Clifton

Kenneth Howard Crawford

Linda Susan Crawford



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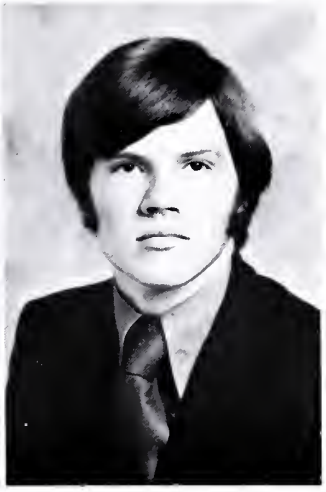
Rebecca Louise Clark



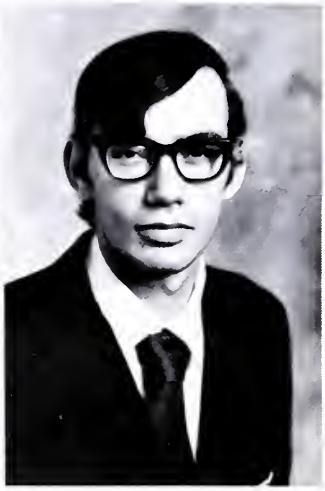
Paul Kevin Clements

SIZE 36? . . . Not only are Senior girls excited about the prom, but so are Senior boys like Jerry Neal.

Senior Privileges — the Last Hassle

WHICH ONE? . . . Seniors have a difficult time in deciding what college to attend.

Shelby Jean Crawford



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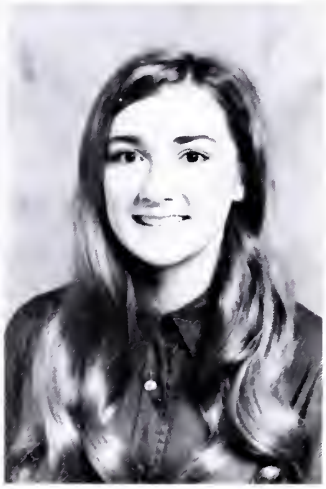
Helena DeLigt

Robin Beatrice Dilley

Dewey Thomas Doss

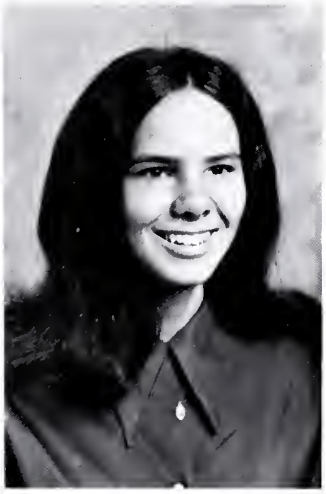


Dawn Faye Dressler

Robert Warner Droke

Michael Edward Drudy

Wanda Carpenter Fisher



Teresa Lynn Fitzgerald

Sabrina Gail Gautier

Steven Langburn Gilbert

CORN ON THE COB? . . . No, it's just Steve Waldren corn-rowing Robert's hair.

HUP 2 3 4 . . . Mrs. Curfman tries to teach Seniors the correct way of marching in to assemblies.

Terry Cecelia Gill

Genia Michalene Gillespie

LEVANT A LAS MANOS . . . Sancho Panzas (P. Powell — Spanish IV) tries to foil teller M. Clifton (Economics) as the law (S. Kemper — Government) moves in on the action.

Na + H_2O . . . P. Goodwin (Earth Science), D. Vanness (Chemistry CP) and P. Powell (Physics) discover the effects of sodium and water.

Several Seniors Excel Academically

WE'LL GET IT LIT YET . . . B. Rice (Electronics), C. Hamm (Mechanical Drawing), S. Miller (Mechanical Drawing), and Y. Meadows (Woodworking) concentrate on lighting a bulb.

SHE'S WILD WITH A BRUSH . . . Art III Superlative, C. Leighton, paints everything at CHS, including Band Superlatives K. Hendrick and D. Vanness.

MRS. FRIEL, YOU'RE A RIOT! . . . Mrs. Friel (P. Heydrick — Consumer Math) jokes with Miss Mahaney (P. Powell — Adv. Math) between classes.

LADY GUINEVERE? . . . Superlatives T. Warlitner (Eng. V), C. Scott, M. Spurlock, and D. Gregory (Eng. V A) gaze back to the days of Camelot.

SHOULDERS BACK, GIRLS . . . D. Reynolds (Shorthand II and Office Practice), D. Haynes (Stenography I), and M. Bell (Bookkeeping) practice the art of being secretaries.

HOUSEWORK, BLECH! . . . D. Stinespring (D.E. II) leaves as T. Gill (Homemaking) and D. Haynes (Home Ec.) work under the watchful eye of chauvinist G. Miller (D.E. III).

NOT EVERYBODY CAN BE THE BEST . . . While many seniors study to be the best, others often resort to the "Buddy System" whenever homework is due.

Flower: Daisy; Song: You've Got A

Joel Patrick Goodwin

Sandra Uphine Graves

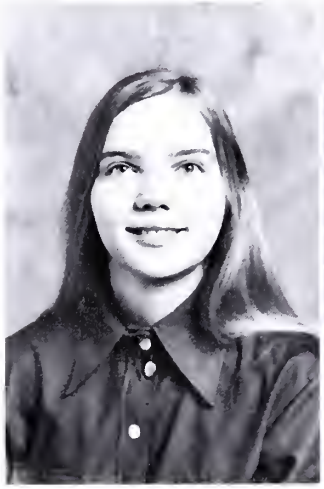
Darlene Ann Gregory

Curtis Orlando Hamm

Donna Kay Haynes

Calvin Luther Helton

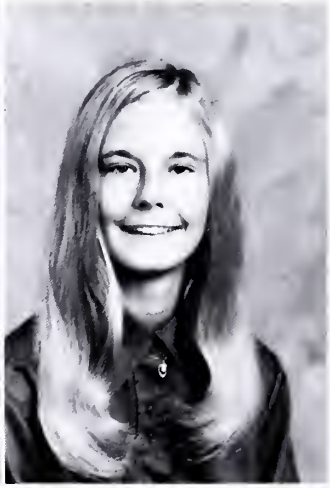
ROGER, DO YOU WORK NIGHTS? . . . Roger Oliver has become a familiar landmark in government class.



Alma Kay Hendrick

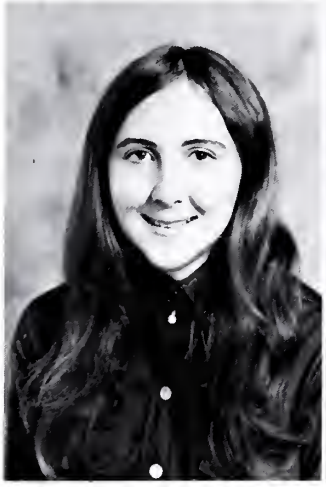
Peggy Lyn Heydrick

Althea Edna Hippert



Debbie Jo Humphries

Friend; Colors: Blue, Yellow, White



Cynthia Virginia Jamison

Patrick Dale Jenkins

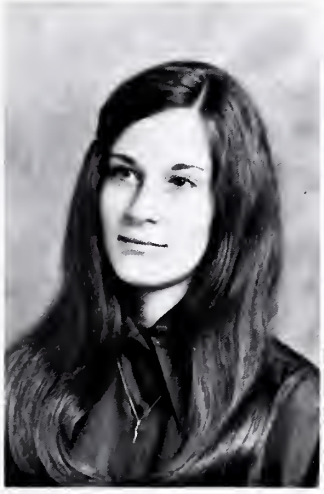
Eric Christian Jensen

Martha Jane Jessee

A JUNIORS MOST PRIZED POSSESSION . . . A senior's class ring usually ends up cast aside.

Charles Daniel Jeter

Elizabeth Mae Jett



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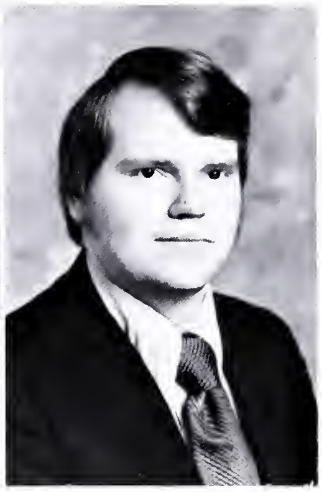
James William Jones, Jr.

Michael Lewis Kelly

Sandra Jo Kemper

Gregory Allen Knick



James Walter Knighton

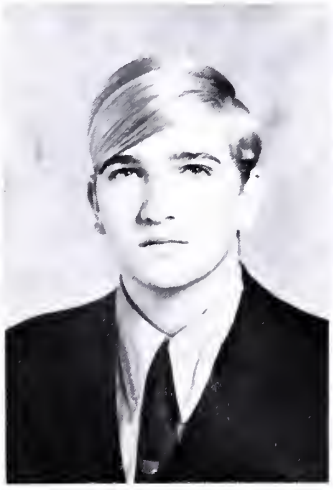
Donald Lee Lamb

Jack Alan Landis

Christy Leigh Leighton

SNIFF! SNIFF! . . . Marshall Robinson tries desperately to unclog his stuffed up nose.

Wanda Mae Liggins



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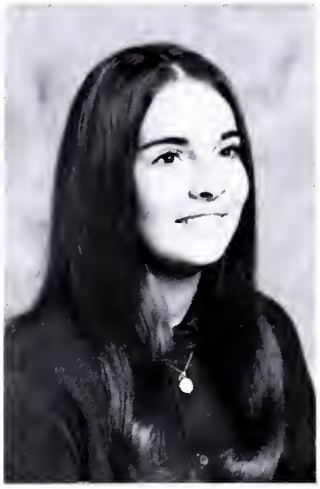
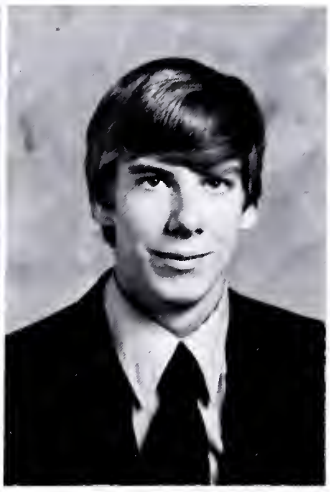


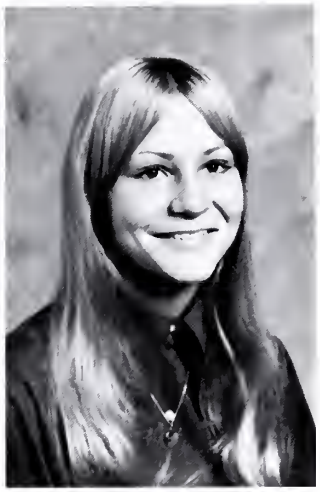
Christy Gayle Loan

Donald Gene Lodge

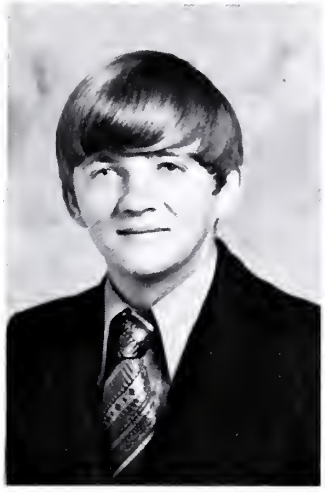


David Burton Lowen

Lee Ann Mann



Brenda Theresa Mappus



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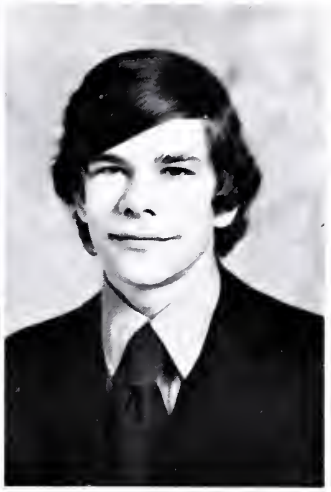

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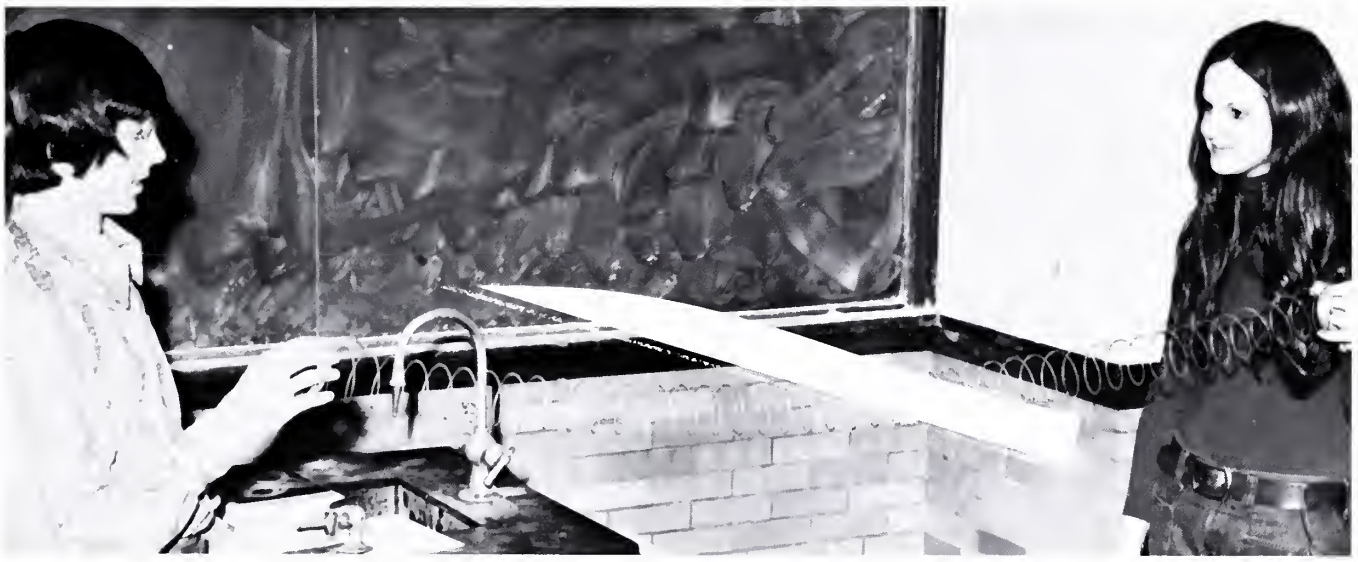


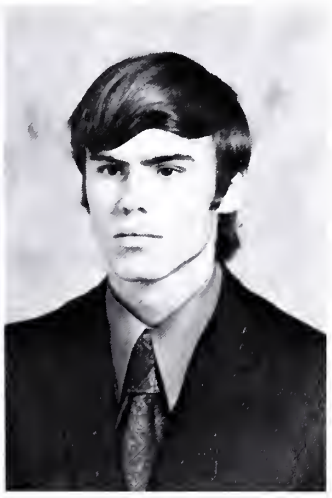
IS THIS PHYSICS? . . . No, it's Curtis and Norma taking time out to play with Mr. Somers' slinky.

We Sympathize With Underclassmen

Youlanda Ann Meadows

Frieda Gretail Miller

Glenn Woodrow Miller



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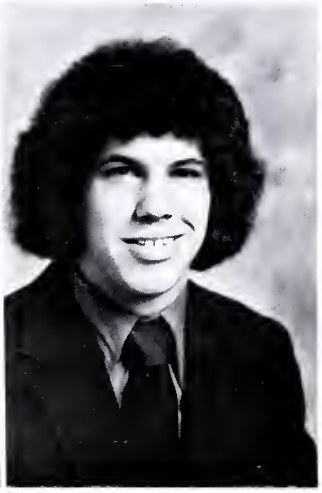
Will Seniors Meet Graduation

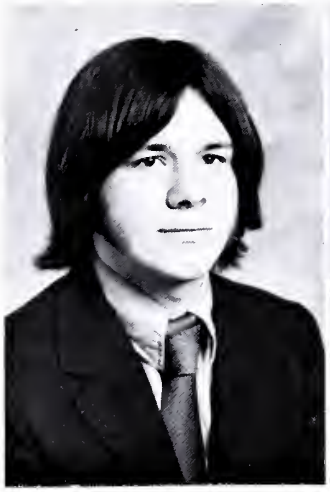
Danny Ray Milton



Robert Harold Moffitt

YUM, IT'S CHOCOLATE! . . . Chucky Walton keeps up his strength by drinking plenty of milk.

IS THE COAST CLEAR? . . . Pam, Terry, and Dawn hide until the time is right for them to sneak out to lunch.



Lonnie Edward Montgomery

Michael Edward Moore

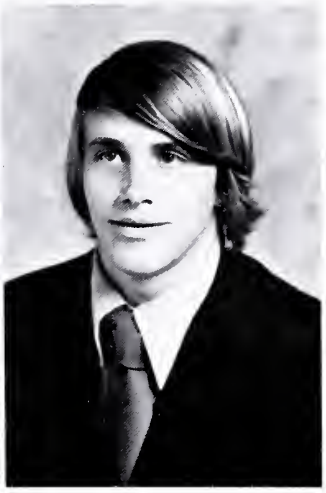
Nancy Karen Morgan

Carol Jean Munsey

With Tears of Joy or Sadness?

FEELING ALL RIGHT? . . . W. Fisher and S. Bess practice their nursing ability on J. Knighton.

Jerald Francis Neal



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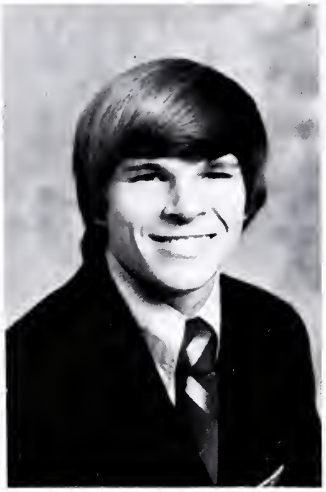
Doris Aileen Pegram



Terry Truit Peters

Alice Lynette Plott

William Ellis Plott

HOUSE LIGHTS, OFF — STAGE LIGHTS, ON . . . "Chic" Crawford has become a familiar helping hand at all CHS assembly programs.

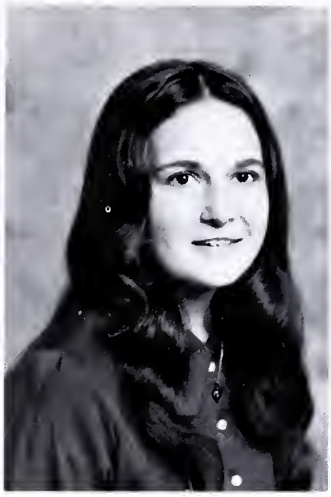
Motto: We're Not Here To Make A

SENIORS WANT ACTION . . . L. Montgomery and T. Pristash force T. Peters into the office for action on privileges.

Gilbert Paul Poague

Triessa Gail Potter

Peggy Katherine Powell



Christine Ann Pristash

Nancy Lee Pritt

Joyce Dressler Ralsten

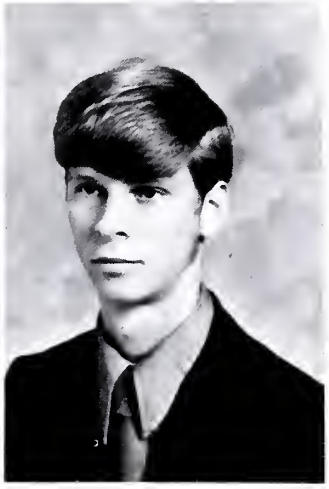
Lynnell Redman

Deborah Lee Reynolds

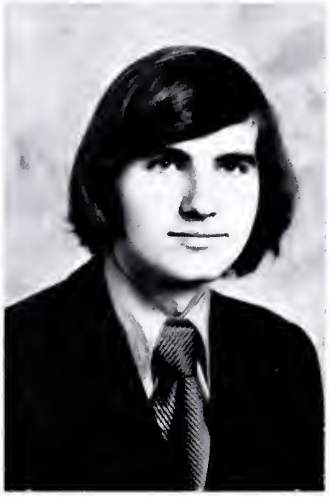
Living; We're Here To Make A Life

I WON'T REPEAT A WORD OF IT! . . . Mrs. Plott promises not to tell any of Peggy Powell's and Norma Smith's secrets.

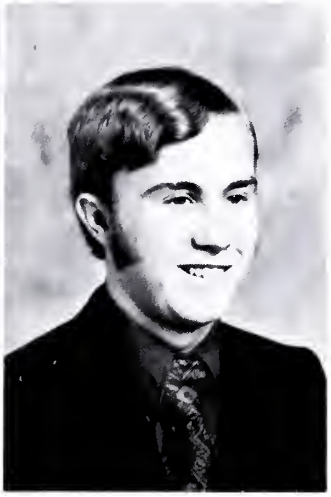
Stephen Gregory Rhodenizer



William Darfow Rice, Jr.

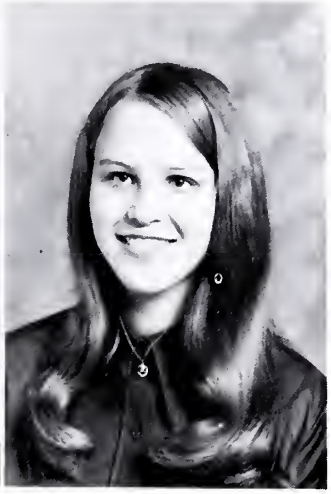


Leonard Cornelius Rickett, III



Gary Lee Rimmer

Marshall Foch Robinson, Jr.

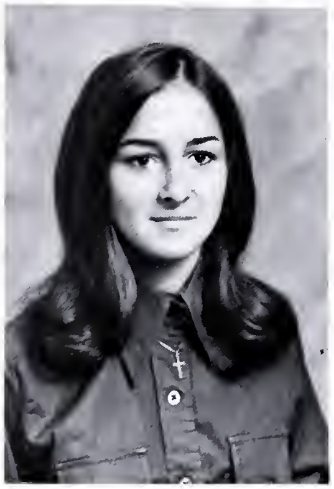


Debra Ruth Sams

Deborah Sue Sanders

Carol Ann Scott

Years Are Sprinkled With Memories;



Judith Lynn Shawver

Andre Marcel Smith

ONE FINAL FLING . . . Seniors dance and celebrate at the Senior Banquet at the new Holiday Inn.

Norma Jean Smith

Maxzella Ophelia Spurlock

James Milton Stewart

Debra Gail Stinespring

As Jrs. We Remember "Medieval Nights"

Larry Wayne Taylor

WHO CARES? . . . With graduation so near, Seniors such as Robin Dilley lose interest in school affairs.

William Gregory Taylor

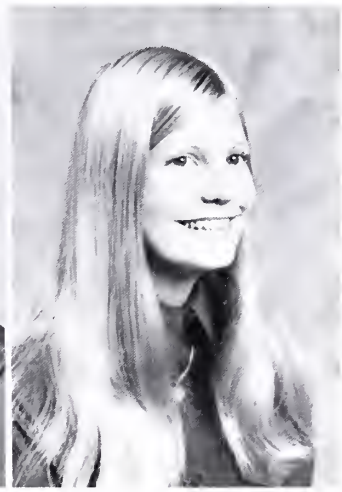
Randall Lee Thompson

POOR BABIES . . . Seniors "rub-in" to underclassmen that as Seniors they're exempt from exams.

Malfourd Whitney Trumbo

Debra Lynn Vanness

Teresa Kirby Via



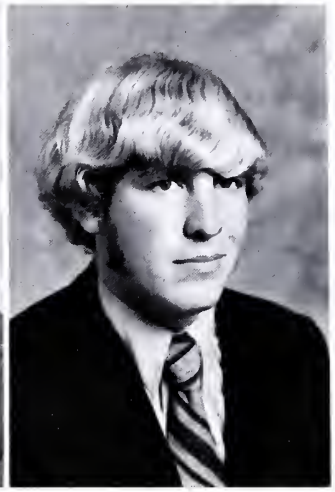
Nancy Britt Wade

Seniors Leave With Mixed Emotions

Clifford Eugene Waldren

Steven Lloyd Waldren

Charlene Gay Walker



Cecil Edgar Walton, Jr.

MAN'S BEST FRIEND . . . Ronnie Andrews appreciates the beauty of a clean car.
PARKING? . . . No problem with Greg Knick and Youlonda Meadows and the Honda.

P.J. PARTY? . . . No, these seniors are waiting for permission to use the library.
HEARD THIS ONE? . . . Lynnell Redman and Sabrina Gautier laugh at Gary Rimmer's corny jokes.

THERE THEY ARE! LET'S GO! . . . Hilltoppers Billy Rice, Danny Boone, and David Lowen are always engaged in a series of mischievous antics.

Teresa Lynn Warlitner

Sharon Lynn White

Pamela Lemons Whitehead

Wanda Gail Wiley

Kathryn Ellen Williams

Patricia Leigh Witt

Sheila Marlene Wood

Jeffrey Pierre Young

Class of '73 Selects

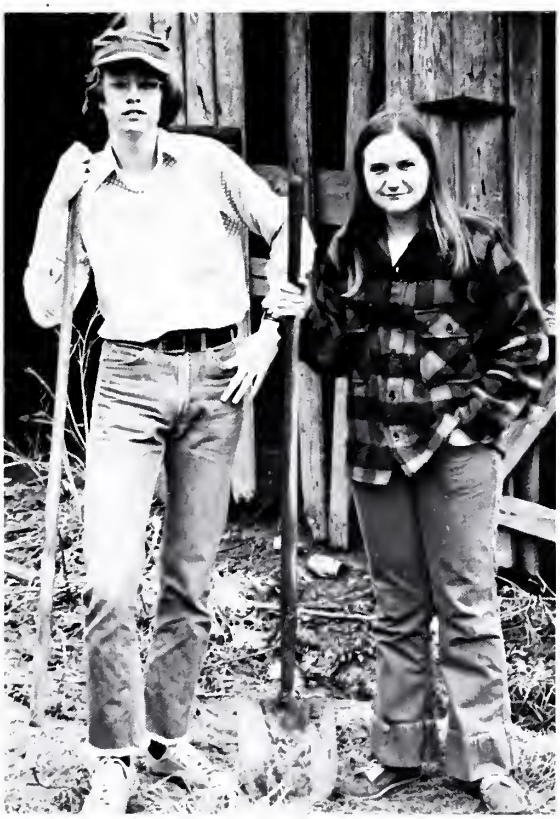
CRUNCH! . . . Voted the Friendliest, Althea Hippert and Rick Casey share an apple.

LET US ENTERTAIN YOU! . . . Debbie Vanness and Jack Landis dance their way to Most Talented.

SHOOT IT! . . . Lonnie Montgomery cheers as Terry Gill shoots for two, both showing Most School Spirit.

EASY DOES IT! . . . Most Athletic Greg Taylor and Brenda Mappus display their ability.

Non-Academic Superlatives



HARD WORK PAYS OFF . . . By the Class of '73, Peggy Powell and Eric Jensen were noted Most Likely to Succeed!

HANG IN THERE! . . . Judy Shawver and David Lowen proved to be the wittiest!

WE'LL TRY ANYTHING ONCE! . . . Lynette Plott and Billy Rice are Best All-Round in the Class of '73.

June 1973 will be the end of an era. It will be a moment that all of our class has been looking forward to for many years. Now that the time actually faces us, we all have a series of mixed emotions. We are apprehensive about the future, but we can really enjoy the memories of our past five years at CHS.

Remember when we first arrived at the "high school"? We were eager to be a real part of CHS. We idolized all the seniors as we tried to be mature. As our days at CHS progressed, we really did become an integral part of all the activities here at school. We earned positions on athletic teams, we earned awards for scholastic achievement, we were recognized for contributions to various clubs. We were diligent workers, but there was always an upperclassman around to give us orders.

When we became juniors, we finally got our chance to prove our ability to work as a group without the assistance of upperclassmen. After many hours of work and good times, our Junior-Senior Prom became a reality as everyone was treated to "Medieval Nights".

Then, when we came to school in the fall of '72, there weren't any older students around. We were the only ones to lead the other students. At the beginning, we enjoyed our status, but soon that grew old.

Our spirits are restless as we wonder about the future. We are, for the most part, anxious to leave CHS. However, after five years of laughing, crying, working, playing, and partying together, it is only human nature that we will cry when we must part. The tears may not be physical, but they will be there because we all know that friendship cannot be eternal.

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WANT A LIGHT? . . . "Hobby" Payne and Gary Rimmer congratulate each other on their expectant fatherhood.

Andrews, Ronnie Lee — DE 3, 4, 5; KVG 3, 4, 5.

Arritt, Lynn Ellen — FHA 1, 2, Historian 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; SCA 2; Library Staff 3; Class Treasurer 3; FBLA 4, 5; Forensics 4; Class Executive Board 4; Homecoming Court 5; Miss CHS Contestant 5.

Arritt, Patricia Ann — Band 1, 2; Latin Club 2, 3; DE 5, Treasurer 5.

Arritt, Steve Alan — Football 1, 2, 3; DE 3, 4, 5; KVG 2, 3.

Bell, Marie Amanda — FHA 1; FTA 4, 5, Treasurer 5; Pep Club 3; French Club 2, 3, 4, 5, Reporter 3, Secretary 4; Debate Club 4; SCA 4, Secretary 4; Tri-Hi-Y 4, 5, President 5; Library Staff 5.

Bennington, Pamela Jean — Vocal 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, President 5; Band Manager 4, 5; Tri-Hi-Y 4, 5, Secretary 5; Class Executive Board 5; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, 5, Executive Board 4.

Bess, Sandra Gail — Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Latin Club 2, 3; Powder Puff Football 2; Girls' Intramurals 1, 2, 3; Art Club 4, 5; Class Executive Board 4; Mat Mates 4.

Bishop, Beverly Plott — SCA 1, 2, 3, 4; Vocal 1, 2, 4, 5; Homecoming Court Candidate 2.

Bland, Sandra Kaye — FHA 1; FBLA 4, 5, Vice-president 5; Vocal 2, 3; SCA 2, 3; Class Executive Board 5.

Boone, Daniel William — Baseball 2, 3.

Buckland, Pamela Sue — FHA 1, 2; FTA 4, 5, President 5; SCA 4; Girls' State 4; Forensics Club 3, 4, 5; Play Cast 4; Extemporaneous Speaking, 2nd in District; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4; Debate Club 3, 4, President 4, 3rd in District Negative Speaker; Tri-Hi-Y 4, 5, Vice-president 5; Pep Club 2, 3; Annual Staff 5; Girls' Intramurals.

Burks, Katherine Ann — FBLA 4, 5; Vocal 1, 2, 3, 4.

Casey, Richard Fawley — Jayteens 3, 4, 5; French Club 2, 3, 4; KVG 4, 5; SCA 5; Football 1, 2; Basketball 1.

Cash, Michael Howard — Science Club 2, President 2; Library Staff 2.

Casto, Gregory Alan — Annual Staff 5; Spanish Club 3, 4, 5, Executive Board 4; Jayteens 4, 5, President 5, State Treasurer 5; Band 1; Football 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Basketball 1; Track 2, 3, 4, 5, Co-captain 5.

Clark, Rebecca Louise — Vocal 1; Girls' Intramurals 1; FHA 2, 3; FBLA 3.

Clements, Paul Kevin — Football 2, 3, 4, 5; Beta Club 4, 5, Treasurer 5; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Stage Band 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Latin Club 2, 3, 4; Jayteens 4, 5; Monogram Club 4, 5; KVG 4, 5; Junior Marshal 4.

Clifton, Mary Cecile — Pep Club 2, 3; French Club 2, 3, 4, 5; Mat Mates 4.

Crawford, Kenneth Howard — KVG 4, 5; Stage Crew 2, 3, 4, 5.

Crawford, Linda Susan — Pep Club 1; FHA 1, 4.

Crawford, Patricia Gail — Girls' Intramurals 1, 2; Pep Club 2, 3, 5; Spanish Club 2, 3; FBLA 5; Tri-Hi-Y 5; DECA 4.

Crawford, Shelby Jean — FHA 1; FBLA 4, 5; Tri-Hi-Y 5; Math Superlative 1; Pep Club 2, 3, 4, 5; Spanish Club 3, 4, 5.

DeLigt, Helena — Band 1, 2, 3; FTA 4; Majorette 4, Feature Twirler 5; Pep Club 3, 4, 5; Forensics 3, 4, President 4; Spanish Club 2, 3.

Dilley, Robin Beatrice — Annual Staff 4, 5, Co-Editor 5; French Club 2, 3, 4, Vice-president 3; Forensics 3, 4, Secretary 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; SCA 4; Tri-Hi-Y 4, 5, Treasurer 5; Girls' Basketball 5; Girls' Intramurals 1, 2; Debate Club 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3, Vice-president 4, 2nd in District Negative Speaker, 1st in Original Oratory 5; Class Executive Board 5.

Doss, Dewey Thomas — Football 2, 3; Baseball 1, 4.

Dressler, Dawn Faye — Girls' Intramurals 1, 2; SCA 4; French Club 2, 3, 4, 5, Secretary 3, President 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, All Area 3, 5, Stage Band 5; Snow Queen Princess 5; Homecoming Court 5.

Droke, Robert Warner — Football 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Basketball 2, 3, 5; Monogram Club 5.

Drudy, Michael Edward — Spanish Club 3, 4, 5; Executive Board 5; KVG 4; Jayteens 4, 5, Secretary 5; Track 4, 5; Homecoming Escort 5.

Fisher, Wanda Carpenter — Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, Executive Board 3; Tri-Hi-Y 5; DE 5; Mat Mates 4, President 4; Office Staff 4.

Fitzgerald, Teresa Lynn — FHA 1; Pep Club 2; Vocal 2, 3, 4, 5, Accompanist 4; Tri-Hi-Y 5; Annual Staff 4, 5.

Gill, Terry Cecelia — Pep Club 2, 3, 4, 5; Forensics 3, 4, 5, Secretary 4; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, Executive Board 3, 4; Cheerleader 3, 4, 5, Captain 5; FTA 5; FHA 5;

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SCA 5; Miss CHS Contestant 5, 1st Runner-up.

Gillespie, Genia Michalene — Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-president, Editor 3; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4; FTA 3, 4, 5; Tri-Hi-Y 5; FHA 1, SCA 2, 3; Monogram Queen 2; Homecoming Court 5; Vocal 2, 5; Girls' State 4; Majorette 4, 5; Class President 2; Class Secretary 5; Debate Club 2, Reporter 2; Miss CHS Contestant 5, Miss CHS 5.

Goodwin, Joel Patrick — French Club 2; Monogram Club 4, 5; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Stage Band 3, Jayteens 4; KVG 4, 5.

Gregory, Darlene Ann — FHA 1; Pep Club 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4; Vocal 2; SCA 2; FTA 2, 3, Secretary 3; Class Executive Board 4; Class Secretary 3; FBLA 5; Band Manager 4, 5; Office Staff 5; Miss CHS Contestant, 2nd Runner-Up 5.

Haynes, Donna Kay — FHA 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Treasurer 3, Secretary 4, President 5; Homemaking Superlative 1, 4; Phys. Ed. Superlative 3.

Helton, Calvin Luther — Football 2, 3, 4, 5; Vocal 3, 4; Monogram Club 5.

Hendrick, Alma Kay — Band 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, 5, Executive Board 4, 5, Reporter 5; All-Regional Band 3, 4; All-Area Band 3, 4; Stage Band 5; Band Superlative 4, 5; Tri-Hi-Y 5.

Heydrick, Peggy Lynn — FHA 1; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Class Secretary 1, 4; Homecoming Court 2, 5; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, 5, Executive Board 3; FTA 2, 3, 4, 5, Vice-president 4; Monogram Queen 3; SCA 3, 5; Annual Staff 5; Math Superlative 5.

Hippert, Althea Edna — FHA 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; French Club 3, 4; Forensics 3; FBLA 4, 5; Monogram Club 2, 3, 5; SCA 3, 4, 5, Vice-president 4, 5; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 5; Majorette 4; Powder Puff Football 2; Homecoming Queen 5, Class Secretary 2; Class President 3; Miss CHS Contestant 5.

A SIMPLE THANK YOU . . . Pam Buckland sits down to write a note of thanks for the many graduation gifts.

Holloway, Valerie Johnetta — FHA 1, 2; Girls' Basketball 4, 5.

Humphries, Debbie Jo — FHA 1; Pep Club 1, 2, 5; French Club 2, 3; Cheerleader 5; Tri-Hi-Y 5.

Jamison, Cynthia Virginia — Scholastic Awards 1, 2, 3, 4, Annual Staff 4, 5; Beta Club 4, 5; Forensics 3, 4, 5; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, 5, Secretary 5; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Vice-president 4; Monogram Club 4, 5; SCA 2, 3, Secretary 3; Tri-Hi-Y 4, 5; Vocal 2; Girls' Intramurals 1, 2; Cheerleader 4, 5, Co-Captain 5; History Superlative 1; Math Superlative 1, 2; English Superlative 2, 3; Science Superlative 3; Spanish Superlative 4.

Jenkins, Patrick Dale — Basketball 1; Baseball 1, 5; Pep Club 3, 4, 5; Music Makers 5; Vocal 5; Art Club 4, 5; Jayteens 5.

Jensen, Eric Christian — Band 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; All-Area Band 3, 4; All-Regional Band 4; Latin Club 2, 3, 4, President 4; Jayteens 4, 5; Beta Club 4, 5, President 5; Alternate Boys' State 4; Science Superlative 1, 4; Latin Superlative 2; History Superlative 2; Scholastic Awards 1, 2, 3, 4.

Jessee, Martha Jane — FHA 1; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; SCA 1, 3, 5; FBLA 4, 5, President 5; Band Manager 5.

Jett, Elizabeth Mae — FHA 1; Spanish Club 2; Pep Club 3; DE 4.

Kemper, Sandra Jo — FHA 1, 2; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, 5, Executive Board 4, 5; Beta Club 4, 5.

Knick, Gregory Allen — Band 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; KVG 3, 4, 5; Stage Band 3, 5; Spanish Club 4; Audio-Visual Staff 5.

Knighton, James Walter — Band 1, 2, 3; DE 3, 4, 5.

Lamb, Donald Lee — Football 5; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Track 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4, 5; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, 5; SCA 2, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; KVG 3, 4, 5.

Landis, Jack Alan — Band 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Vice-president 5; "Fantasticks" 2; "You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown" 4; Vocal 5; Music Makers 5; Stage Band 3, 4, 5; All-Area Band 4; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, 5; Jayteens 4; Football 2, 3; 1st in District Boys' Prose, 2nd in Regional; One-Act Play 3; "Who's Who" 4.

Leighton, Christy Leigh — Cheerleader 1, 3, 5; FHA 1; French Club 2, 3, 4; Art Club 4, 5, Secretary 4; Forensics 2, 3, 4, 5; Debate Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Monogram Club 1, 3, 5; Mat Mates 4; Girls' Track 2, 3; Powder Puff Football 2.

Liggins, Wanda Mae — FHA 1, 2; Girls' Basketball 2.

Loan, Christy Gayle — Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Spanish 2, 3, 4; Vocal 1, 2; Majorette 3, 4, 5, Head 5; Class Treasurer 2; Class Vice-president 5; Homecoming Court 5; Miss CHS Contestant 5; Snow Queen 5.

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Lockhart, Deborah Bryan — Band 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Vice-president 4; All-Area Band 4; All-Regional Band 4; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, Executive Board 4; Pep Club 4.

Lodge, Donald Gene — SCA 2; KVG 3, 4, 5.

Lowen, David Burton — French Club 2, 3; Beta Club 4, 5; SCA 5; Jayteens 3, 4, 5, Vice-president 5; French Superlative 3.

Mann, Lee Ann — Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4, Captain 1, 3; Class Secretary 2; SCA 4, Secretary 4; Vocal 1, 2, 3; Mat Mates 4; Spanish Club 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Monogram Queen Runner-Up 3; Spanish Superlative 3.

Mappus, Brenda Theresa — Band 1, 2, 3; French Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Pep Club 1, 2; SCA 3, 4, 5; Girls' Intramurals 1, 2; Girls' Basketball 4, 5; Homecoming Court 5.

Martin, Gary Allen — DE 3, 4, 5; KVG 3, 4, 5; Jayteens 3, 4, 5; Senior Representative 5; Pep Club 2; Football 2, 3; Basketball 1.

McFarland, John Michael — DE 3, 4, 5, Vice-president 5; KVG 3, 4, 5.

Meadows, Youlanda Ann — Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Vice-president 5; Spanish Club 2, 3; Girls' Intramurals 1, 2; FBLA 3, 4; SCA 3.

Miller, Freida Gretail — Girls' Intramurals 2; Girls' Basketball 4.

Miller, Glenn Woodrow — KVG 3; DE 3, 4, 5, President 5.

Miller, Harry Stephen — Football 2; Wrestling 4; Jayteens 4, 5; KVG 3, 4, 5; French Club 3, 4, 5; Pep Club 2, 3, 4, 5.

Moffitt, Robert Harold — Football 1, 2; Tennis 2; SCA 3, 5, Executive Board 5; Class Vice-president 4.

Montgomery, Lonnie Edward — Band 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4; Jayteens 3, 4, 5; KVG 3, 4, 5.

Moore, Michael Edward — Football 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Wrestling 3, 4, 5; Track 3, 4, 5; KVG 4, 5; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4, 5.

Morgan, Nancy Karen — FHA 1; Girls' Intramurals 2; Pep Club 4.

Neal, Jerald Francis — Football 1, 3, 5; Baseball 2, 3, 4, 5; Art Club 4; Vocal 1, 4, 5; Spanish Club 3, 4; Monogram Club 4, 5; KVG 2, 3, 4, 5; Jayteens 5; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Music Makers 5; Stage Band 5.

Payne, George Hobbs, Jr. — Football 2, 3; Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Track 1, 4, 5; KVG 2, 3, 4, 5.

Pegram, Doris Aileen — Girls' Intramurals 1, 2, 3, Spanish Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Debate Club 3; SCA 1; Cheerleader 1, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4.

Peters, Terry Truit — Football 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Co-Captain 5; Basketball 1; Track 1, 2, 3; SCA 1, 4, 5; Wrestling 2, 3, 4, 5; Spanish Club 2; Jayteens 3, 4, 5; Class President 4, 5.

GET SET — GO! . . . Bones are broken, but spirits are high as M. Drudy and D. Humphries race.

Plott, Alice Lynette — SCA 5, President 5; Annual Staff 3, 4, 5, Co-Editor 5; Class President 1; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Forensics 2, 3, 4, 5, Treasurer 3; Third in Girls' Oratory 4; Play Cast 2, 3; French Club 2, 3, 4, 5, Vice-president 4, Reporter 2; Beta Club 4, 5; Debate Club 2, 3, 4, 5, Vice-president 3, District Debate Team 3; "Who's Who" 4, 5; Voice of Democracy — 1st School, 3rd Area, 3rd District 5; "Best All-round" 5; Math Superlative 3; Junior Marshal 4; Girls' Intramurals 1, 2; Powder Puff Football 2.

Poague, Gilbert Paul — Football 1, 2, 3, 5; Baseball 3, 4; Wrestling 3, 4, 5; Monogram Club 3, 4, 5.

Potter, Triessa Gail — FHA 1, 2.

Powell, Peggy Katherine — FHA 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2; FTA 4; Tri-Hi-Y 4, 5; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, 5, Secretary 4, President 5; Beta Club 4, 5; English Superlative 1, 2, 4; Science Superlative 3, 5; Math Superlative 2, 3, 4, 5; Spanish Superlative 2, 3, 4, 5; History Superlative 4; Scholastic Awards 1, 2, 3, 4; DAR Award 4; Junior Marshal 4.

Pristash, Christine Ann — Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; French Club 2, 3, 4; Forensics 3, 4; Vocal 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Cheerleader 4, 5; Monogram Club 5.

Pritt, Nancy Lee — FHA 1, 2, 5, Parliamentarian 2; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, 5, Executive Board 4; Pep Club 3, 4, 5; Forensics 4, 5, Reporter 4; Art Club 4, 5; Tri-Hi-Y 4, 5, Chaplain 5; FTA 4, 5; History Superlative 4.

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Ralsten, Joyce Dressler — Cheerleader 1, Captain 1; Band 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2, Monogram Club 1; Spanish Club 2; Forensics 2; FBLA 3, 4, 5, Historian 5.

Reynolds, Deborah Lee — Pep Club 1, 2, 3; FHA 1; FTA 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, 5; FBLA 5; Miss CHS Contestant 5.

Rice, William Darfow, Jr. — Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4, 5; Monogram Club 4, 5; Boys' State 4; Class Vice-president 2; Phys. Ed. Superlative 2.

Rimmer, Gary Lee — Wrestling 1, 2; Track 1, 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; KVG 3, 4, 5; Jayteens 4, 5.

Robinson, Marshall Foch — Football 1, 3, 4, 5; Wrestling 3, 4, 5; Latin Club 2, Treasurer 2; Monogram Club 4, 5.

Sams, Debra Ruth — Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; FBLA 3, 4, 5, Treasurer 5; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.

Sanders, Deborah Sue — AYA 1, 2, 3, 4; GAA 3; Cinema 4; FHA 5; CYO 4.

Scott, Carol Ann — Cheerleader 1; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, 5; Vocal 1, 2, 3; FTA 2, 3, 4; SCA 2, 4; Majorette 4, 5; Homecoming Court 5; Snow Queen Princess 5; Miss CHS Contestant 5.

Shawver, Judith Lynn — Pep Club 1, 2, 3, Treasurer 2; FTA 2, 3, 4, Vice-president 3, President 4; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, 5; Junior Marshal 4; Beta Club 4, 5, Secretary 5; Vocal 1, 2.

Smith, Andre Marcel — Football 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Track 2, 3, 4, 5; Basketball 1, 2; Band 1, 2; Beta Club 5; Wrestling 5.

Smith, Norma Jean — FHA 1, 2; Home Ec. Superlative 2; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, 5, Executive Board 4, 5; Pep Club 4; FTA 4; Beta Club 4, 5, Vice-president 5; Junior Marshal 4.

Spurlock, Maxzella Ophelia — Band 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; SCA 1; Pep Club 2, 3, 4, 5; Forensics Club 3, 4, 5, Treasurer 4; Latin Club 2, 3; Majorette 4, 5; Accompanist 4, 5; Music Makers 4; Girls' State Alternate 4; All-Area Band 3, 4, 5; Girls' Intramurals 2.

Stewart, James Milton — Football 1, 2; Basketball 3.

Stinespring, Debra Gail — Vocal 1; Pep Club 3, 4, 5; DE 5, Secretary 5.

Taylor, William Gregory — Football 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; KVG 3, 4, 5; Jayteens 5; Spanish Club 2, 3.

Trumbo, Malfourd Whitney — Football 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Basketball 1; Wrestling 2, 3; Track 1, Jayteens 3, 4, 5; Class Vice-president 3; Boys' State 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4, 5; Band 1, 2, 3; French Club 2, 3, 4; KVG 3, 4, 5; Debate Club 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 4, 5; Junior Marshal 4.

Vanness, Debra Lynn — Band 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, President 5, Treasurer 2, Librarian 2, 3, 4, 5; All-Regional Band 1, 2, 3, 4; All-Area Band 3, 4; Stage Band 4, 5; Vocal 4, 5; All-Regional Vocal 4; Music Makers 4, 5; Beta Club 4, 5, Reporter 5; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Math Superlative 1; Band Superlative 2, 3, 4, 5; Vocal Superlative 4; Scholastic Awards 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, 5, Treasurer 2; Tri-Hi-Y 4, 5; FTA 3, 4; Girls' Intramurals 1, 2, 3; Junior Marshal 4.

Wade, Nancy Britt — Vocal 1, 2, 3; Music Makers 3; All-Area Band 3; All-Regional Band 3; Pep Club 2, 3, 5; Band 3, 5; Tri-Hi-Y 5; Mat Mates 2, 3; Stage Band 5.

Waldren, Steven Lloyd — Football 1, 2, 5; Basketball 1; Vocal 5.

Walker, Charlene Gay — Band 1, 2, 3; French Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; FBLA 3, 4, 5; Powder Puff Football 2; Class Treasurer 4; Mat Mates 4; Homecoming Court 5; Class Executive Board 5; Miss CHS Contestant 5.

Walton, Cecil Edgar, Jr. — Football 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; SCA 1; Track 3, 4, 5; KVG 3; Wrestling 5.

Warlitner, Teresa Lynn — Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; SCA 1; Class Vice-president 1; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4, Executive Board 3, 4; FTA 2, 3, 4, 5; Tri-Hi-Y 5; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Court Candidate 2; Beta Club 4, 5; Junior Marshal 4; DAR Award 5; Annual Staff 5; English Superlative 5; Vocal 1, 2; Scholastic Awards 2, 3, 4; Science Superlative 4.

White, Sharon Lynn — FHA 1; Art Club 4, 5; Vocal 4.

Wilcher, Gary Michael — Football 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Basketball 1, 2; Wrestling 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3; KVG 3, 4, 5; Spanish Club 3; Hi-Y 3, 4, 5; Monogram Club 3, 4, 5; Shop Club 1, 3, 4, 5.

Wiley, Wanda Gale — FHA 1, 2, 3; Girls' Basketball Scorekeeper 4, 5.

Williams, Kathryn Ellen — Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; FBLA 4, 5; Library Staff 5.

Wood, Sheila Marlene — Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; DE 4, 5; Tri-Hi-Y 5.

GIVE ME A PAIR OF SCISSORS AND A RAZOR . . . Miss Mahaney gets upset every time she looks at M. Trumbo's mustache and E. Jensen's flowing hair.

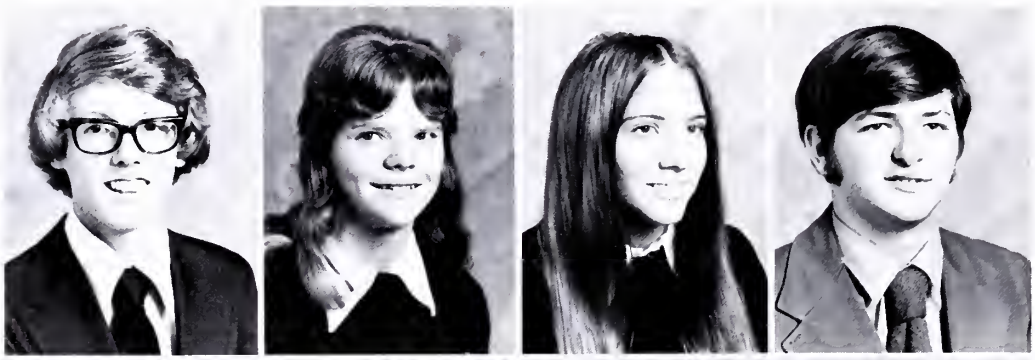
Eleventh Grade

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS . . . Lezlie Pfoutz, Treasurer; Carolyn Switzer, Secretary; Joel Nichols, Vice-president; Mona Carter, President.

New responsibilities and a variety of activities kept the junior class in full swing. One of the first "greetings" of the year was a battery of tests which confronted them. Sighs of "Oh, No!" could be heard during the ordeals of STEP-SCAT tests, Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Tests, and National Merit Scholarship tests. Some college "hopefuls" even rounded out the year with more tests, the College Boards in April.

In order to finance the Junior-Senior Prom, the junior class placed special emphasis on money-making activities, including the sale of stationery and candy. However, the most exciting privilege of the year was ordering and then receiving the long awaited class rings.

Setting a great example of leadership, Mona Carter headed the class of '74 with Joel Nichols as her assistant. Carolyn Switzer took minutes, and Lezlie Pfoutz counted money. The officers were assisted and encouraged by head sponsor, Mrs. Margaret Ives.



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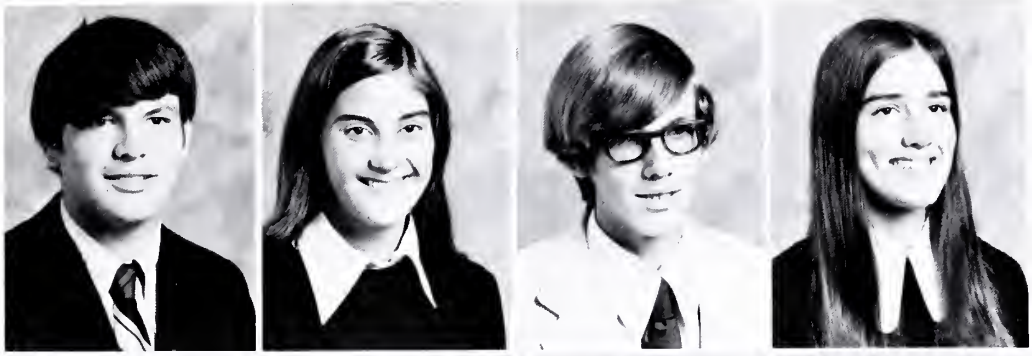

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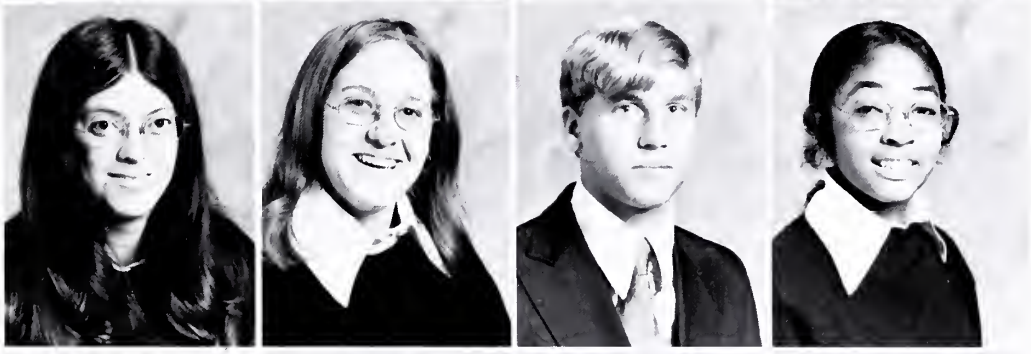

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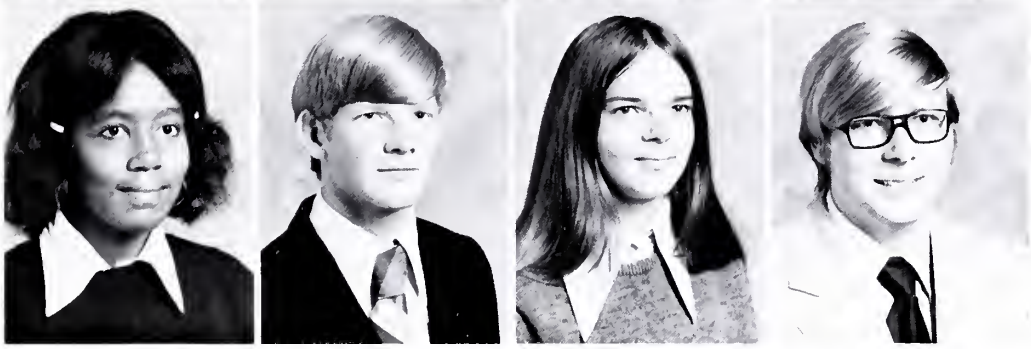

Gale A. Clark
Steven L. Clark
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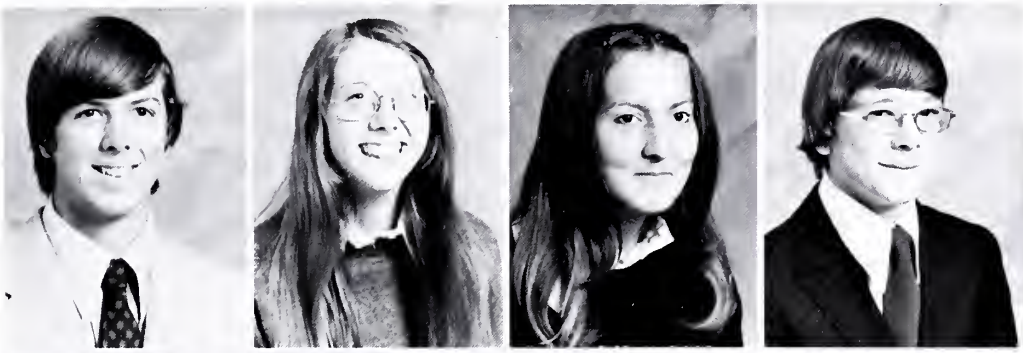
Gregory A. Crawford



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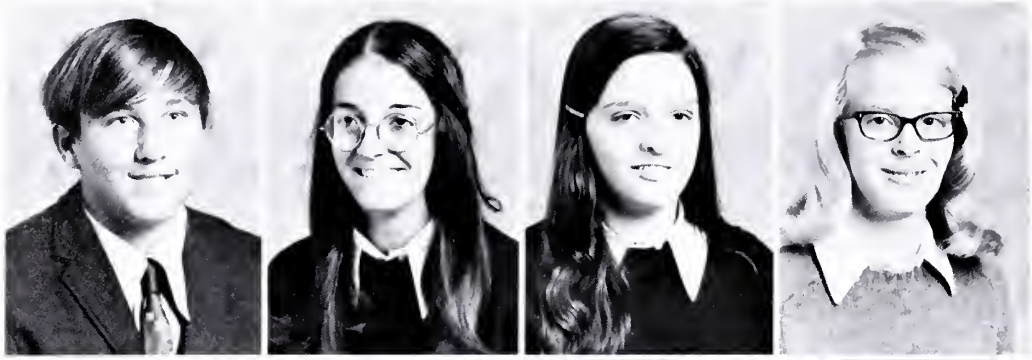

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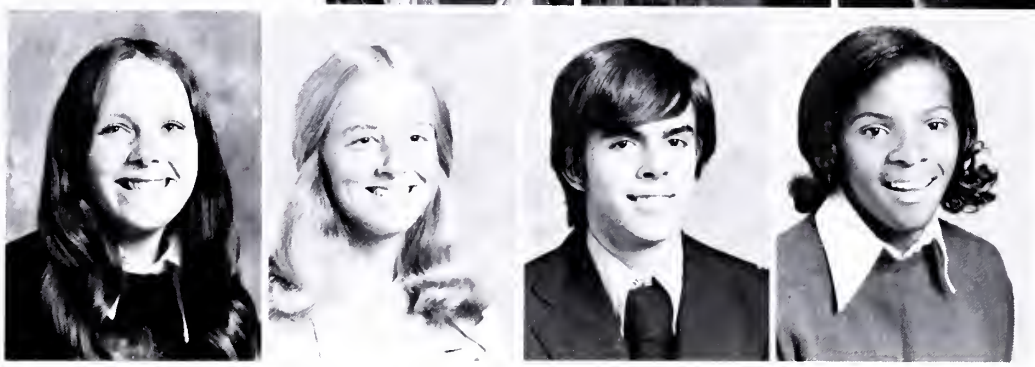

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Wanda C. Hubble
Amy M. Huddleston
Todd H. Huffman

Toni A. Humphries
Loretta E. Hunter
Paul J. Hutton
Kurt E. Jensen

Juniors Show True Cougar Spirit

Susan P. Johnson
Peggy A. Kenny
Teresa J. Keyser
Maurice W. Lamb

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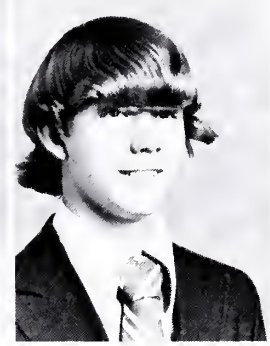
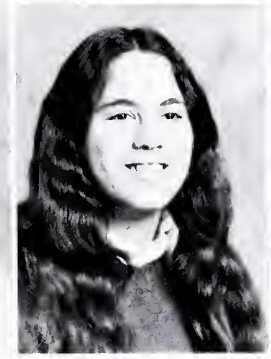
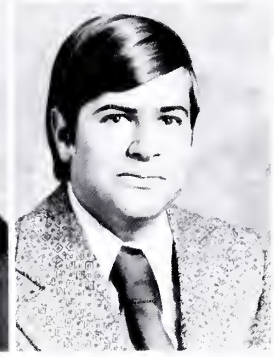
Douglas L. Matheny







Robert E. McFadden
Doris J. Miller
Jeannie K. Miller
Robert W. Moore

HELPFUL JUNIORS?? . . . These students try to earn a few extra points by washing a teacher's car.

Juniors Plan A Successful Prom

Michael S. Myers
Joel A. Nichols
Garry L. Parker
Teresa L. Pauley

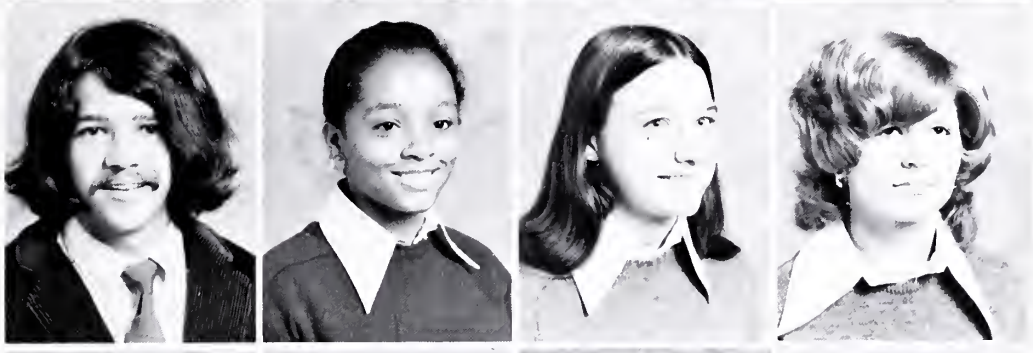
David G. Payne
Clara S. Persinger
David L. Persinger
Lezlie L. Pfoutz

LEFT, RIGHT, LEFT . . . Boy representatives Doug Waugh, Mike Wickline, and Greg Crawford and girl representatives Missy Snead, Mona Carter, and Matilda Cashwell practice marching for Girls' and Boys' State.

HOW'S THIS? . . . Decorating for the Prom, D. Alfred asks J. Quinlin and D. Whiteside where to put the flowers while R. Lawson holds the ladder.

Juniors Enjoy Upperclass Position

Dana L. Pyle
Jeanne L. Quinlin
John L. Quinlin
Lucy J. Reynolds



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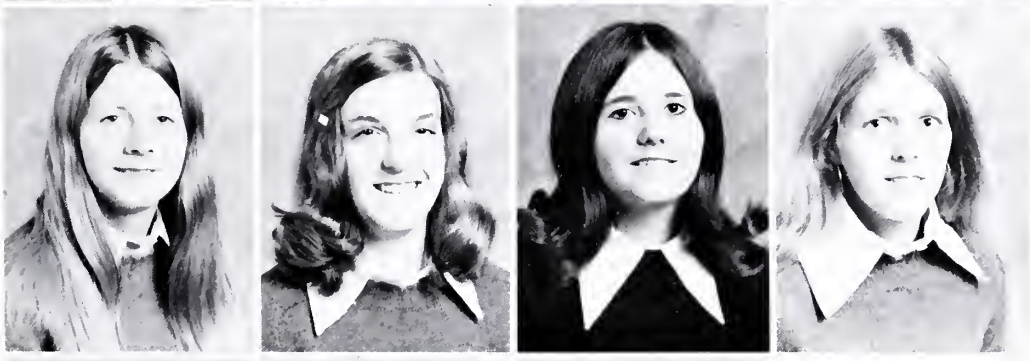
Dora L. Robinson
Cynthia J. Rose
Mary E. Rose

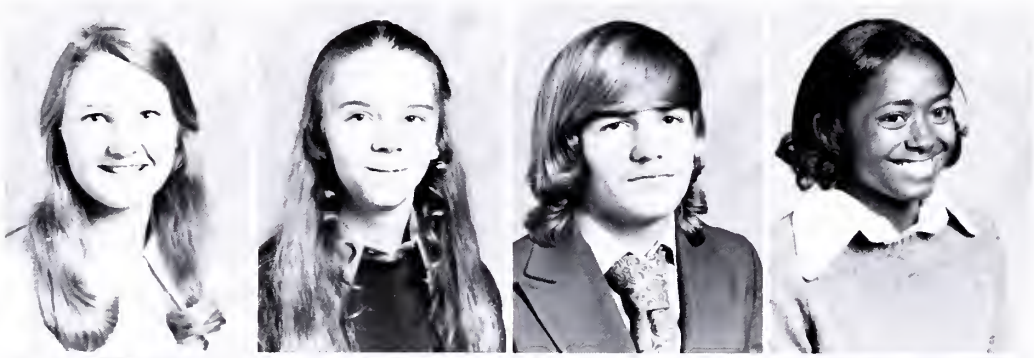


Leesa M. Sanders
Jan E. Smith
Sandra J. Smith
Melissa D. Snead

Gary L. Spellman
Artie G. Spencer
Glenn C. Spencer

Four Years Down and One to Go

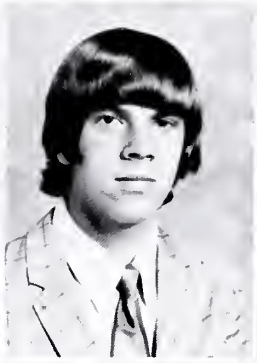
PRACTICING . . . These juniors practice for the privilege they will get next year of marching in and out of the auditorium for assemblies.



Carolyn L. Switzer
Teresa P. Tingler
Dennis C. Trainer
Beverly A. Twitty

Dwain A. Tyree
Marsha G. Via
Jeana F. Walton
Douglas W. Waugh

William G. Webb, Jr.
Elmer L. Weese, Jr.
Leonard W. Wheeler
David R. White



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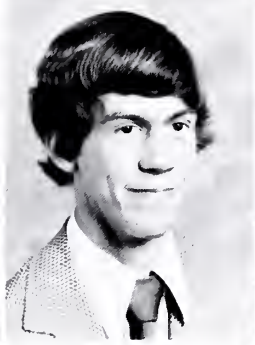
Larry D. Whitmore
Michael C. Wickline
Patricia U. Wilcher



Viola M. Wilkes
John W. Worley
Edward Yancey, III

RANDY . . . As initiated into the Spanish Club.

Our Creator would never have made such lovely days, and have given us the deep hearts to enjoy them, above and beyond all thought, unless we were meant to be immortal.

Mosses from an Old Manse.

Randy K. Dressler
October 20, 1955
September 23, 1972

TENTH GRADE CLASS OFFICERS . . . Jack Munsey, President; Yvonne Miller, Vice-president; Sheryl Hemp, Secretary; Brenda Angle, Treasurer.

Tenth Grade

Two down, two to go! "Who am I?" is a typical sophomoric question. They can't decide whether to grow up or remain adolescent. Moody, independent, happy, and sad are all "up and down" feelings of the class of 1975.

They reminisce about the good old days. The freedom, excitement, and pure fun of coming to high school are part of their memories. The huge halls, the stern teachers, the high and mighty seniors, and those first classes of organized P.E. are parts of laughter now, but then it was a different story.

Sophomores look forward to getting their permits, owning their first car, and the thrill of the Junior-Senior Prom. But with this, they often find the pressure of better grades and college staring them in the face.

Covington High's sophomore class is finding life to be everchanging, but they are on the move with it. Their boys are very athletic, and their girls are very outgoing, so their future together is very bright.

Being "middlemen" is hard positions. They feel older and more mature than their fellow underclassmen, yet they don't have the prized position of an upperclassman. As they reach the age when everything seems very confused, they handle themselves well. Certainly there will be a happy end to their story.

Douglas W. Altizer
Vincent D. Anderson
Michael A. Andrews

Brenda J. Angle
Pamela C. Austin
Sandra G. Baker

Linda M. Banker
Krista L. Bird
Theresa E. Burhenn

Sherry W. Byer
Susan M. Byer
Teri A. Byer

David R. Caldwell
Gerald D. Carpenter
Harold L. Carpenter

Alan D. Cash
Emma J. Clark
Larry E. Craft

Patricia L. Cranford
Sandra C. Cranford
Christy L. Crawford
Dennis F. Crawford
William R. Crawford

Peggy L. Cronin
Edgar L. Crowder
Sandra K. Cunningham
Frederick D. Dattler
Paul DeLigt

Lewis E. Dew
Martha K. Dew
Beth K. Dillard
Carol L. Dressler
Danny R. Dressler

Debra S. Dressler
David L. Easton
Steven W. Edwards
Gary L. Ehrisman
Teresa L. Ervin

Debra J. Evans
William M. Ferris
William N. Gann, Jr.
Anita S. Gill
Troy D. Gillespie

Samuel T. Givens
Glenys L. Glenn
Michael L. Green
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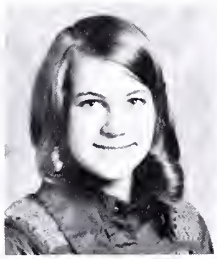
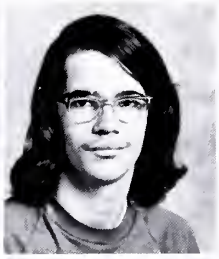
Diana L. Gurd

Deborah Y. Hamm
Mary K. Harding
Warren F. Harris
Deidre L. Hawkins
Angela D. Heighter





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Lonnie D. Hepler

Deborah K. Hiler

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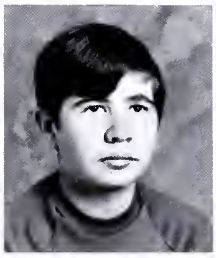
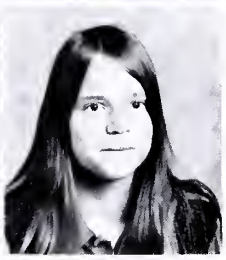
James E. Jackson

Karen G. Jamison





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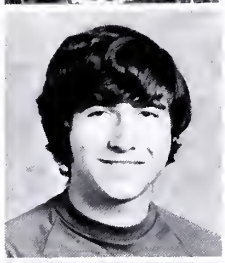
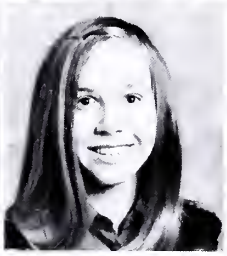
Sharon M. Jerman

Gerald W. Jones





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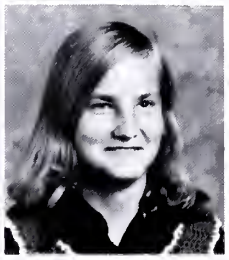
Joseph K. Kincaid



Paul A. Kirby
Rita F. Knighton
Janet R. Law

Tony D. Lemons

Gary W. Linkenhoker
Dennis L. Lipscomb
Carolyn B. Lugar

Roy F. Markham

Growing Up Is Hard to Do!

Rita G. Martin
Mark E. Matheny
Sherry K. McClung

Kim D. Miller
Yvonne D. Miller
Angela S. Montgomery

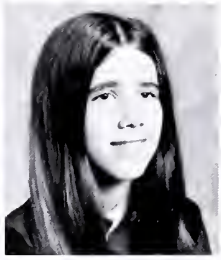
Robert M. Montgomery
Helen A. Moomaw
Timothy L. Morgan

BEHIND THE WHEEL OR BEHIND THE TABLE?

AH, AH, AH! . . . Miss Slater tells M. Peters, B. O'Neil, and B. Kessinger that Driver Education isn't that hard.

QUE SERA, SERA . . . D. Crawford, T. Morgan, S. Baker, A. Heighter, and M. Harding muse about "what will be will be."

Searching, Finding, Conquering Woes At CHS



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Robin K. Myers

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Larry D. Pence
Mitchell R. Perry
Diane L. Persinger

Doris J. Persinger
Marcia L. Peters
Edward G. Plott
Susan R. Price
Dorothy A. Pritt

Carson A. Proffitt
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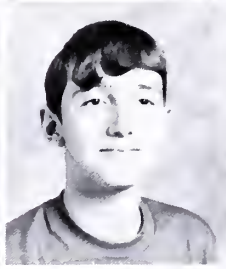
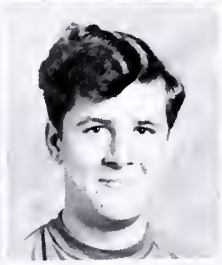
Rodger A. Reed
Gail L. Reynolds
Lana S. Reynolds





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Tommy W. Robertson
Cecil S. Robinson
Benton J. Rock

Bryan K. Rothwell
Linda G. Sampson
Evelyn J. Sarjeant
Paul G. Schwalenberg
Lewis B. Scott, Jr.

Connie S. Scruggs
John C. Seldomridge
Timothy K. Sbue
Victoria R. Simmons
Deborah J. Sizemore

Lloyd W. Smith
Paula A. Stull
Eugene R. Swartz

Cynthia A. Terry
Cynthia P. Thompson
Brenda C. Thurston

Reed J. Vipperman
Kim L. Warlitner
Richard A. Warren

Kyle D. Watts, Jr.
Linda A. Whitehead
Roberta K. Whitmer

Joy M. Whitmore
Barbara J. Wilcher
Kevin E. Wiley

Carl T. Wolfe
Teresa A. Wood
Angela L. Wooding

John C. Seldomridge
August 6, 1956
September 23, 1972

What is to come we know not. But we know
That what has been was good.

—Anonymous

SELDOMRIDGE . . . An active band member.

Ninth Grade

NINTH GRADE CLASS OFFICERS . . . Cheri Kelley, Treasurer; Pat Harrison, President; Matt Drudy, Vice-president; Lisa Heighter, Secretary.

Even though they've been around for a year, the freshmen are still considered "inferior creatures" by the upperclassmen, that is, if they are considered at all. The ninth graders find themselves in a position that is important to them and possibly to them alone.

With their new class status come the torture of language initiations, the agony of algebra, and the continued grind of more P.E. However, ninth graders enjoy many new privileges as well. They can go to their first formal, earn a letter in sports, and join most of the school clubs — marked achievements for any student. Their reactions to all of these situations give indications of their maturity and responsibility.

Leading the freshman class this year was Pat Harrison, class president, with Matt Drudy as vice-president. Lisa Heighter was secretary, and Cheri Kelly served as class treasurer. Mrs. Carolyn O'Conner was the head class sponsor.

Numbering 146 this year, the freshmen have established a stable place in Cougar Country, where they promise to be one of the most spirited classes ever.

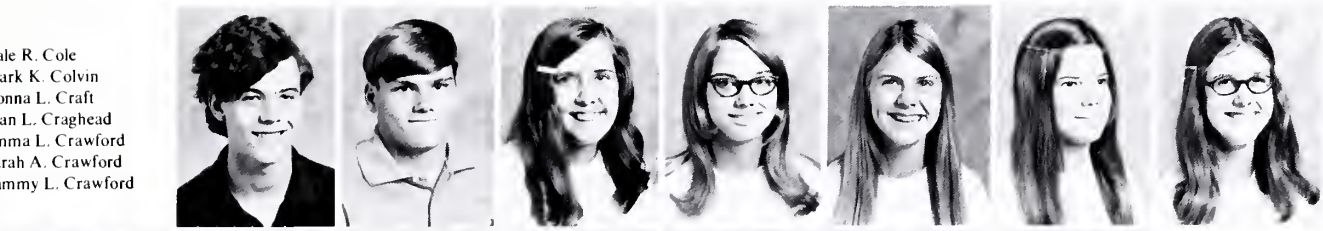
Mike V. Abbott
Robin D. Abshire
Kathy L. Alfred
Robin R. Alfred
David K. Andrews
Hafford L. Arritt
Willa K. Arritt

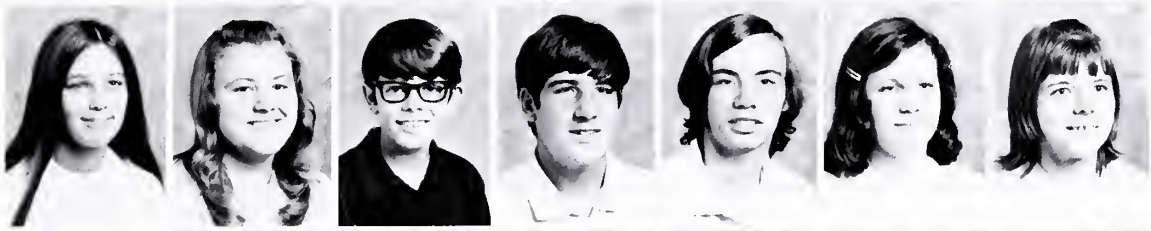
Edward K. Bane
John F. Bell
Alma L. Biggs
Kenneth W. Boguess
Sherry L. Boguess
Robert H. Boone
Mary L. Bostic

Anita G. Brisendine
David A. Broughman
Chrystal C. Brown
Donald E. Buckland
Jacob L. Bush, Jr.
Patsy A. Byer
Carol R. Carter

Earl M. Cash, Jr.
Solvin C. Cash, Jr.
Joyce A. Caul
Wallace H. Clark, III
Susan G. Clatterbaugh
Mary A. Clutter
Darius A. Cobbs

Dale R. Cole
Mark K. Colvin
Donna L. Craft
Joan L. Craghead
Emma L. Crawford
Sarah A. Crawford
Tammy L. Crawford





Judith L. Crizer
Rebecca K. Crowder
Mark S. Crush
James L. Curtis
Jack W. Davis
Linda M. Doss
Deborah J. Dressler

Matthew J. Drudy
Fred L. Evans
Garland L. Ferris
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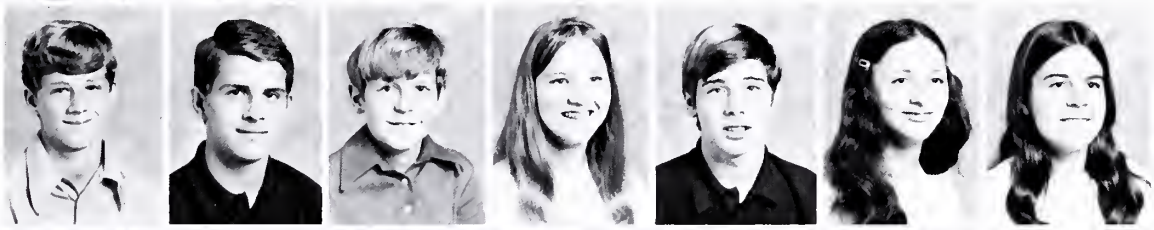

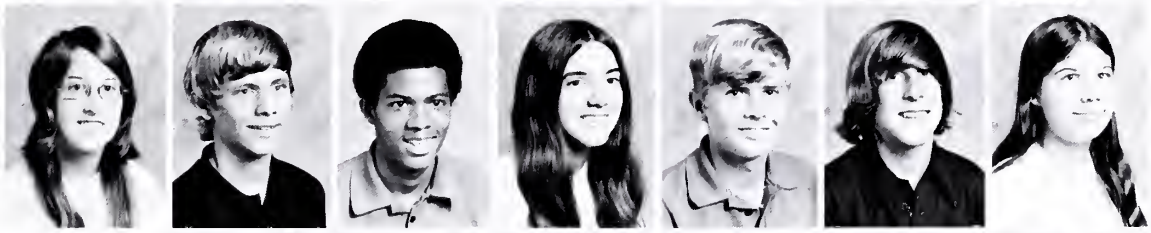

Judith A. Gilbert
John T. Groome
David W. Halsey
Lisa R. Hardy
Rodney W. Harlowe
Patrick W. Harrison
Sara L. Harter

Lisa K. Heighter
Drewery L. Hepler
Kathy L. Higgins
Arthur G. Hillmer
Kathy L. Hite
Sterling M. Holcomb
Angela J. Holestin

Elizabeth A. Holestin
David W. Huffman
Reginald W. Humphries
Cynthia D. Hunter
Keith E. Jackson
Garland R. Jefferson
Jimmy M. Jenkins

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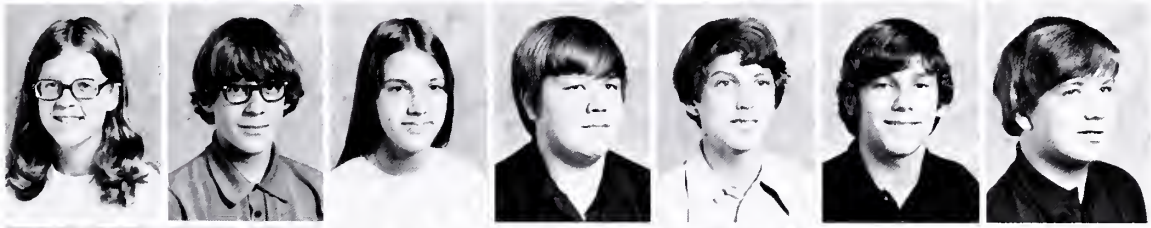

George M. Luckett
Larry R. Madison
Susan L. Markham
Phyllis D. Martin
Darrell C. Matics
Anita K. Matney
Jerry L. Maynard

Ninth Graders Move Up to More Privileges

Marshall S. McCulley
Debra L. Meeks
Willard H. Meeks
Denise A. Megginson
Derrick R. Miller
Robin R. Miller
Kenneth D. Munsey

Bernard H. Myers, III
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Barbara J. Noel
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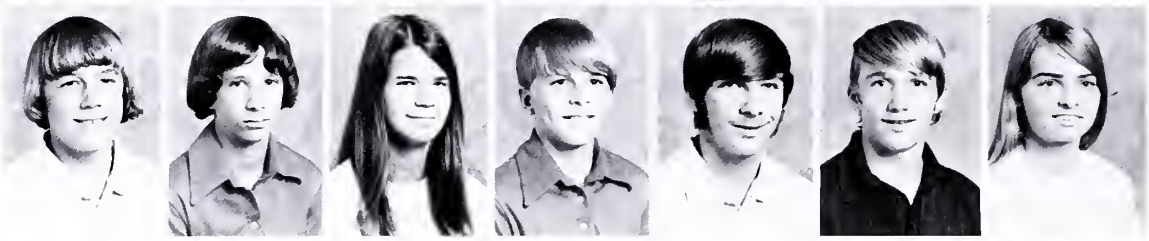
Virginia D. Perkins



QUÉ PASA? . . . G. Jefferson, L. Hardy, J. Groome, and S. Crawford model the outfits they wore for the Spanish Club initiation.

Dennis R. Persinger
Gloria D. Pierce
Steven D. Pleasant
Jackie W. Plott
Joyce Y. Puckett
Eleanor L. Pyne
Aaron W. Ratliff

Ronald W. Reed
Lisa K. Reynolds
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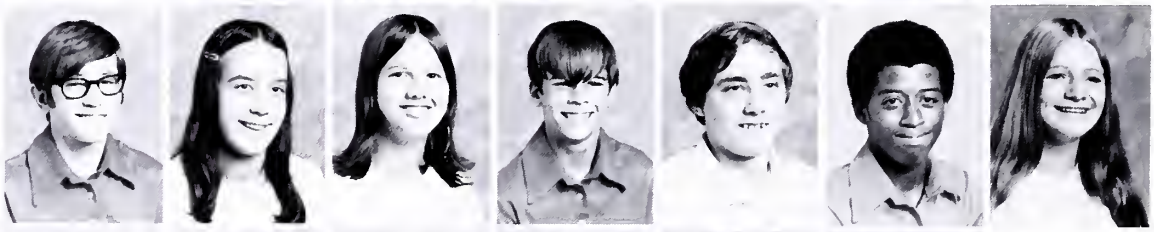
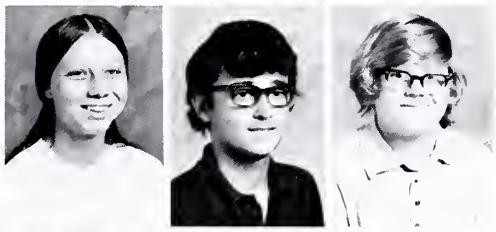
Jerry A. Rice
Keith A. Richmond
Perry G. Robinson
Susan M. Robinson

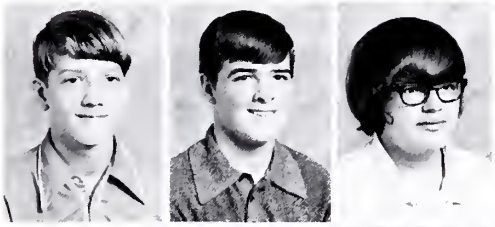


Benton J. Rock
Timothy D. St. Clair
Robert L. Sampson
Kathy M. Simmons
Darrell W. Slayton
Susan G. Slayton
Donna J. Smith

Laura L. Smith
Marc W. Smith
Roberta L. Smith



Patricia J. Spellman
Jack C. Stinespring
Michael W. Swartz

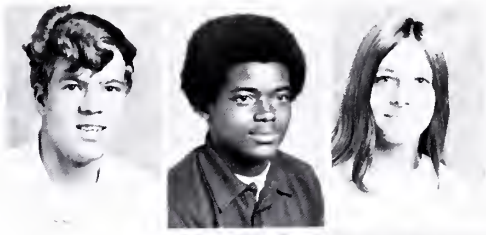


Michael R. Sweeney
Mark E. Switzer
Michael E. Switzer

Edward C. Taylor
Virginia G. Taylor
Pandora L. Thornton

PLAY ANOTHER DONNY OSMOND . . . E. Crawford, S. Slayton, and T. Crawford, look for their favorite singer's record on the jukebox.

NIGHT OF MEMORIES . . . Freshman girls enjoy going to the Christmas Formal with their special escorts.



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William J. Ward
Michael R. Warren

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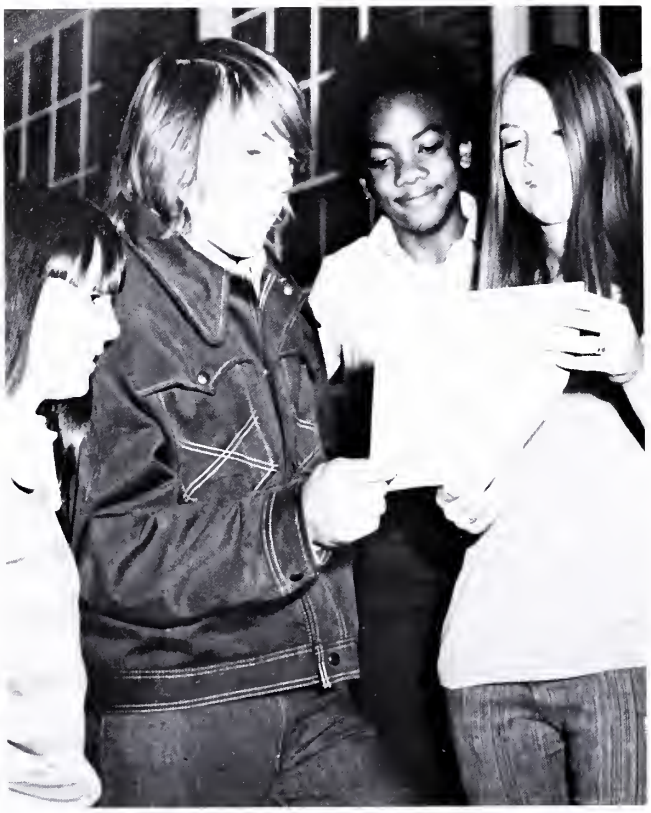
William E. Woodson
Cathy E. Worley

Eighth Grade



CLASS OFFICERS . . . Kathy Haynes, Secretary; Danny Walton, President; Dennis Rose, Vice-president; Debbie Phillips, Treasurer.

Each year a new group of students come to CHS and are immediately labeled eighth graders. The newcomers this year, with Mrs. Nancy Stuart as head sponsor, numbered 177. Officers elected by eighth graders were Danny Walton, president; Dennis Rose, vice-president; Kathy Haynes, secretary; and Debra Phillips, treasurer.

Eighth graders have a very full and exciting first year. Starting with Orientation Day, scheduled earlier than regular opening day, young enthusiasts come to the high school, meet teachers and classmates, and go to all classes, hopefully establishing a routine. They also have their first chance to participate in high school sports and clubs. Then there are dances, Thanksgiving and Christmas activities which prove enjoyable. After Christmas, they work hard preparing for their first exams. After first semester, school activities move more rapidly to the end of the year. They now look forward to the Freshman year with the confidence of well established Cougars.

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Elmer L. Baker
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Rebecca L. Blair

Teresa L. Bland
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Pamela L. Byer
Sharon K. Campbell
Rickie A. Carter
Daryl W. Cook
George E. Cook
Angela E. Cottrell

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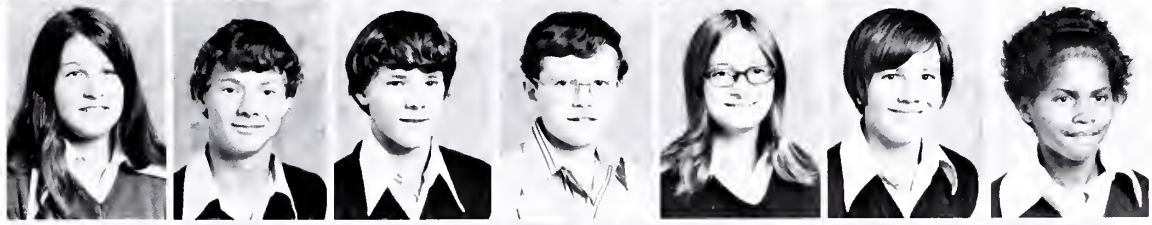

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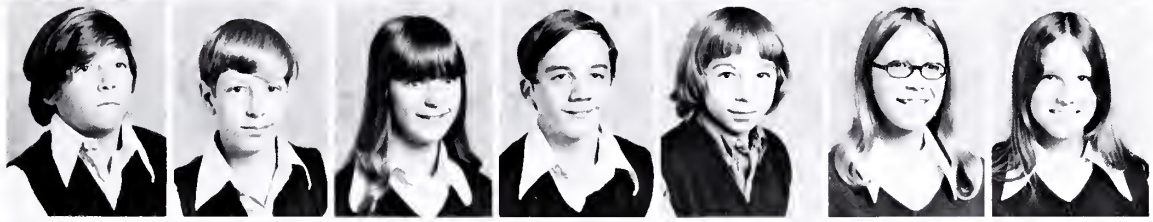

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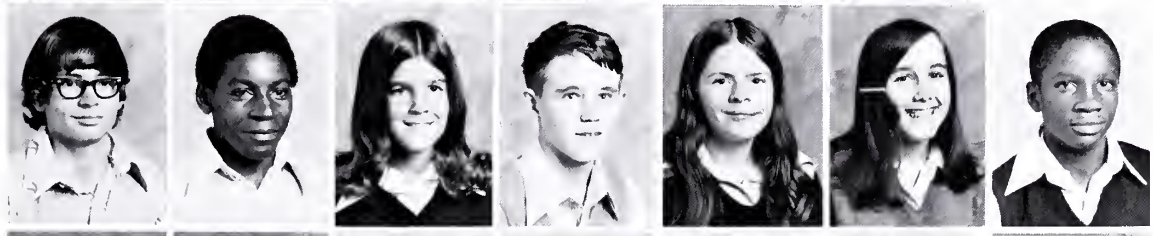

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Kermit E. Lugar
Michael S. Madison
Mitch W. Mann
Vickie L. Mann
Sandy E. Markham

Teresa M. Markham
Billy B. Martin
Linda D. Martin
Morris D. Martin
Carole A. Mayo
Kathy M. McAllister
David W. McCormack

Jeannine L. McKnight
Betty L. Miller
Frances D. Miller
Peggy S. Miller
Randy L. Mills
Rodney L. Montgomery
Paul L. Morgan

ON MY NOSE? . . . Mike Madison, Jeannine McKnight, and Mitch Mann pay the price for chewing gum in Mrs. Stuart's English class.

NEW RESPONSIBILITIES . . . Getting the flag up and down is something new for Erick Grumblatt, Brad Fitzgerald, Mark Huddleston, and Benny Anderson.

GOING TO SCHOOL? . . . Stanley Griffith, Julia Altizer, David McCormack, and Bonnie Robinson pause before making a long trip to homeroom on third floor.

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Deborah K. Myers
Robert E. Myers
Richard E. Neal
Victoria C. Oyler
Ralph M. Page
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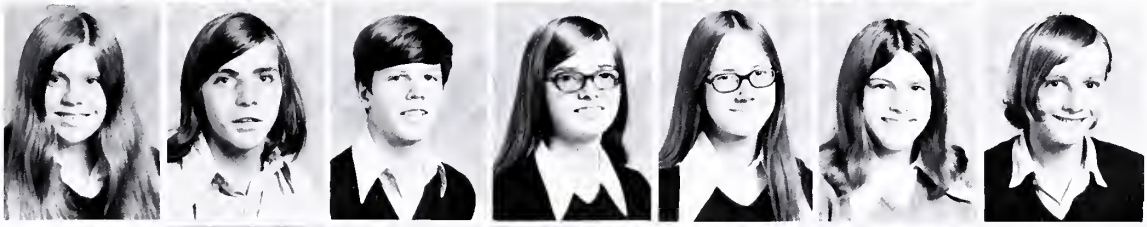

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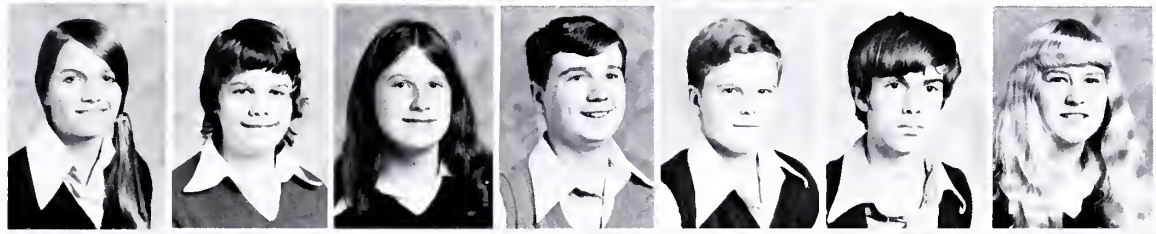

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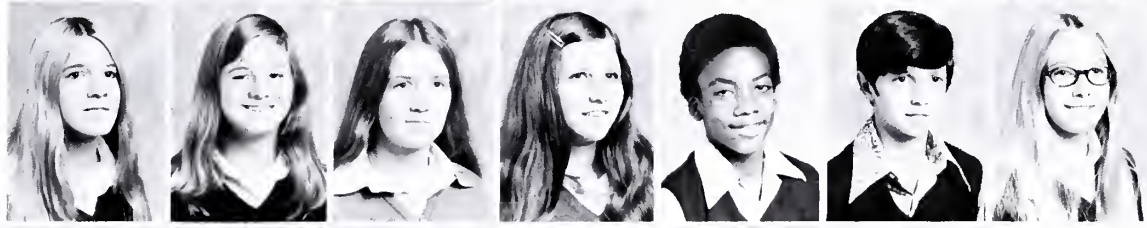

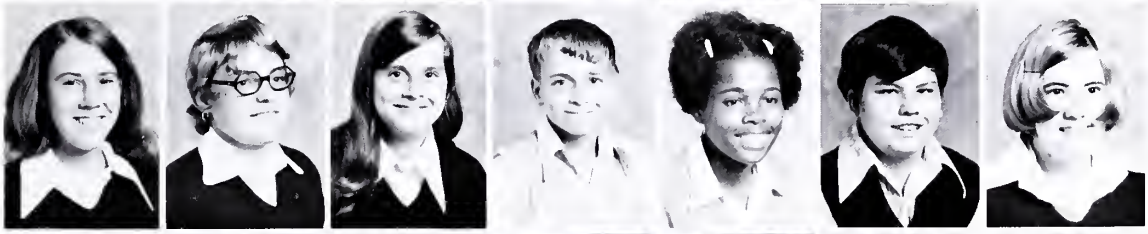

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Richard L. Watson, Jr.
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Tamura Y. Wilson
George H. Wood

Underclassmen

FOREIGN LANGUAGES . . . Anne Hillmer, French I; Wayne Humphries, French II; Roy Williams, Spanish II; Steven Edwards, Spanish I; Mona Carter, Spanish III.

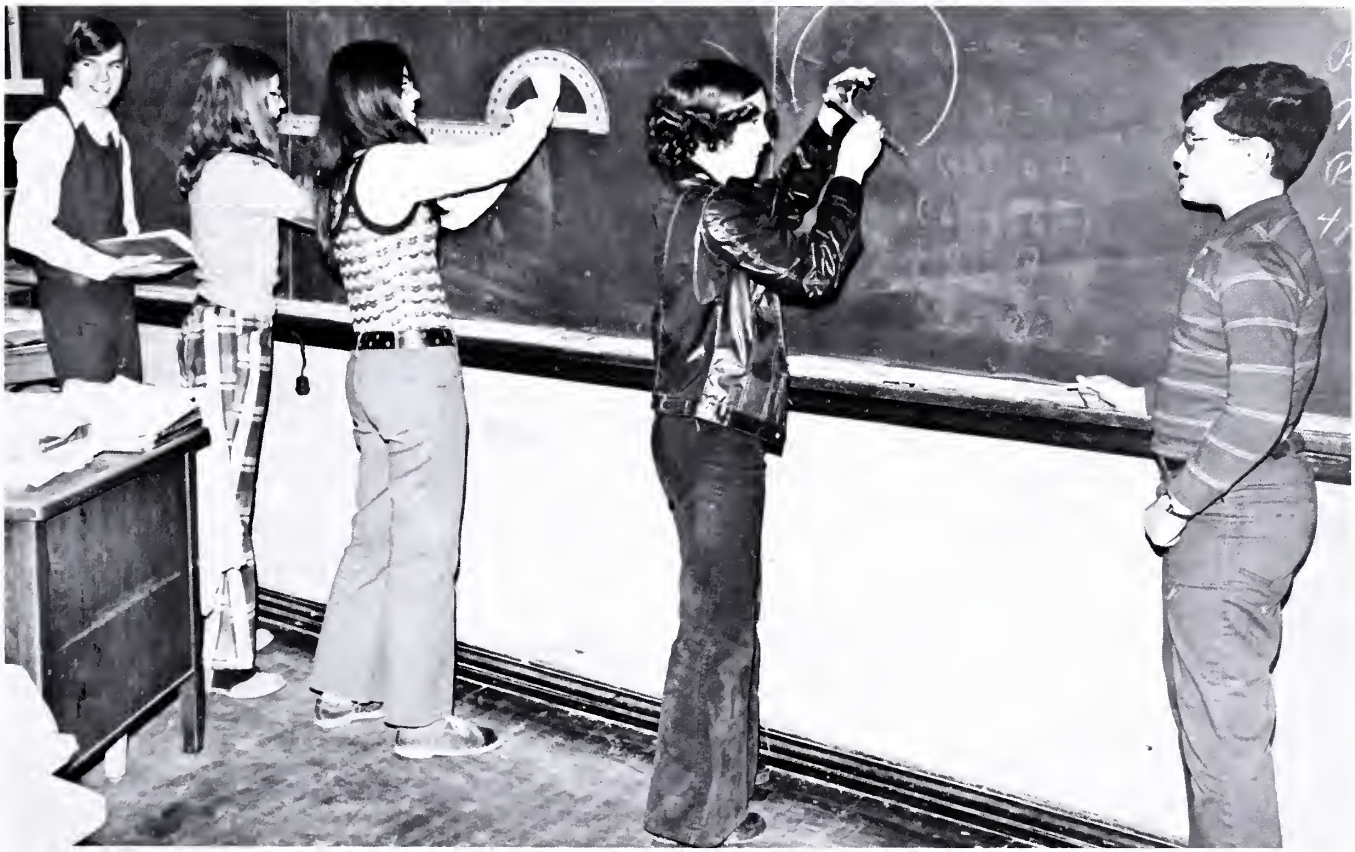
Underclass students are recognized each year for their scholastic achievement in certain fields of study. In selecting the superlatives, teachers take into consideration several factors, such as responsibility, attitude, participation, grades, and understanding of subject matter throughout the year. These students work diligently during both semesters to obtain the grades required for a superlative rating. These superlatives are to be congratulated and highly praised for their hard work.

COMMERCIAL . . . Jan Smith, Stenography I.

SCIENCE . . . Jeff Hutton, Chemistry; Theresa Burhenn, General Biology; Greg Crawford, Chemistry Study; Gerald Jones, General Biology; Garland Ferris, Earth Science IIA; Richard Bowen, General Science IA; (Not pictured: Stanley Griffith, IPS).

Recognized For Academic Excellence

VOCATIONAL . . . Robert Swartz, Wood Working II; Stanley Griffith, Exploratory Industrial Arts; Ray Crawford, Wood Working II; Tim Morgan, Mechanical Drawing; Mike Ferris, Wood Working I; Mike Wickline, Mechanical Drawing.



MATH . . . Roy Williams, Geometry; Gretchen Jensen, Algebra I; Mona Carter, Algebra II; Randa Fenderson, Math IA; Stanley Griffith, Math I.

SOCIAL STUDIES . . . Wayne Humphries, World History; Sharon Campbell, Civics; Lynn Shepard, World Geography; Carol Mayo, World Geography; Greg Crawford, U.S. History; (Not pictured: Garland Ferris, World Geography).

Hard Work Rewards Underclassmen

PHYSICAL EDUCATION . . . First Row: Sharon Campbell, Phys. Ed. I; Dennis Rose, Phys. Ed. I; Kevin Knick, Phys. Ed. I; Randa Fenderson, Phys. Ed. I; **Second Row:** Kim Warlitner, Phys. Ed. III; Susan Slayton, Phys. Ed. II; Joy Perry, Phys. Ed. I; Timmy Green, Phys. Ed. I; **Third Row:** Steven Edwards, Phys. Ed. III; Gary Hendrick, Phys. Ed. III; Roy Williams, Phys. Ed. III.

VOCATIONAL . . . Leonard Wheeler, D. E.; Bonnie Conner, Home Ec. IV; Joan Humphries, Home Ec. III; Robin Abshire, Home Ec. II.

MUSIC . . . Seated: Jeff Hutton, Band; Lezlie Pfoutz, Band; Roy Williams, Band; **Standing:** Carolyn Switzer, Vocal; Cindy Rose, Vocal; Susan Persinger, Band.

ENGLISH . . . Theresa Burhenn, English IIIA; Donna Gaines, English IV; Patsy Byer, English IIA; Carol Carter, English IIA; Debbie Carter, English IVA; Teresa Ervin, English III; Wayne Humphries, English II; (Not pictured: Tommy Robertson, English III).

When the Year Started at CHS . . .

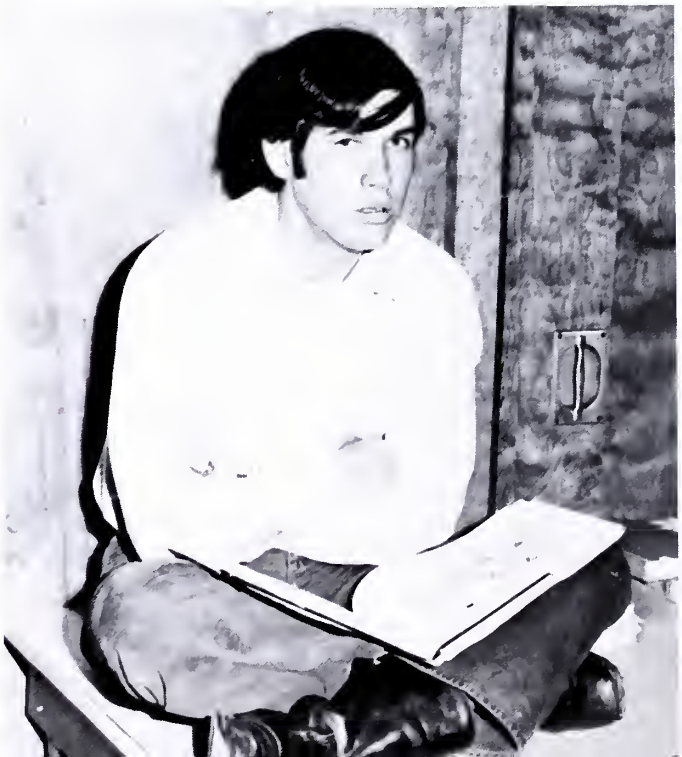
There were many new faces,

many old friends,

and many new friends.

As we fell into routine, we studied;

often we "goofed off."



Others of us learned to work together.

There was a lot of laughter,

sadness,

restlessness,

and contentment.

Overall, the Term Was Pretty Good

Then, We Began to Part

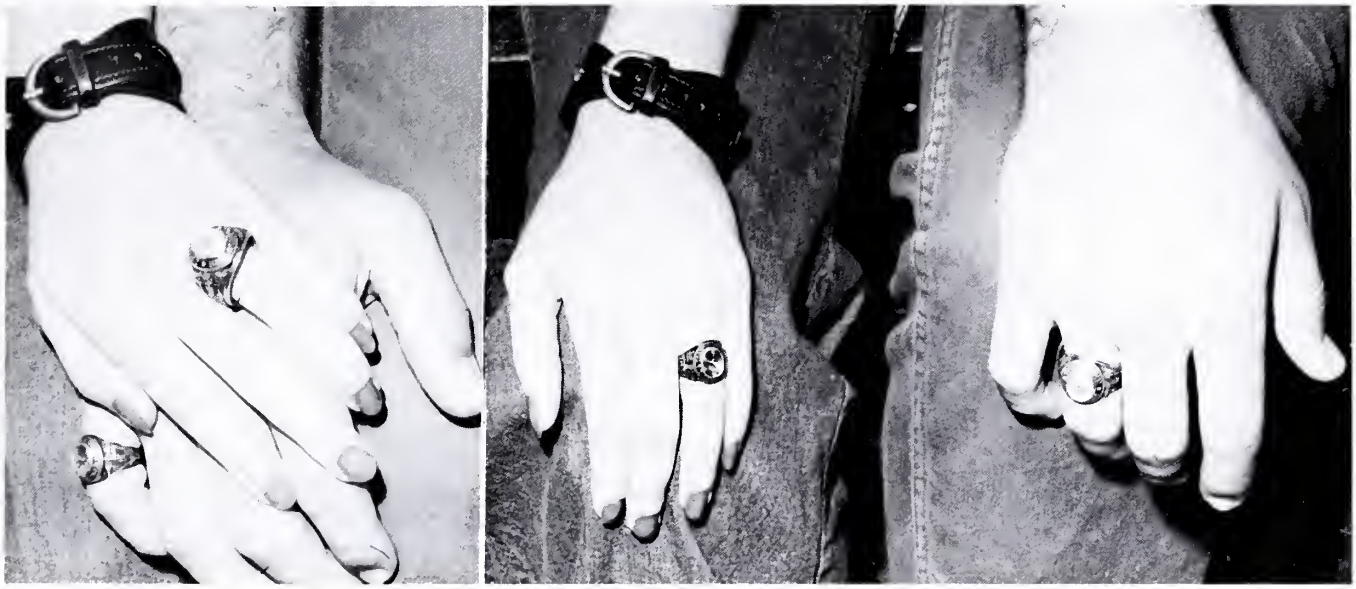
Some found new lives,

some made new lives,

some went away,

some stayed home.

But, we were all good buddies!



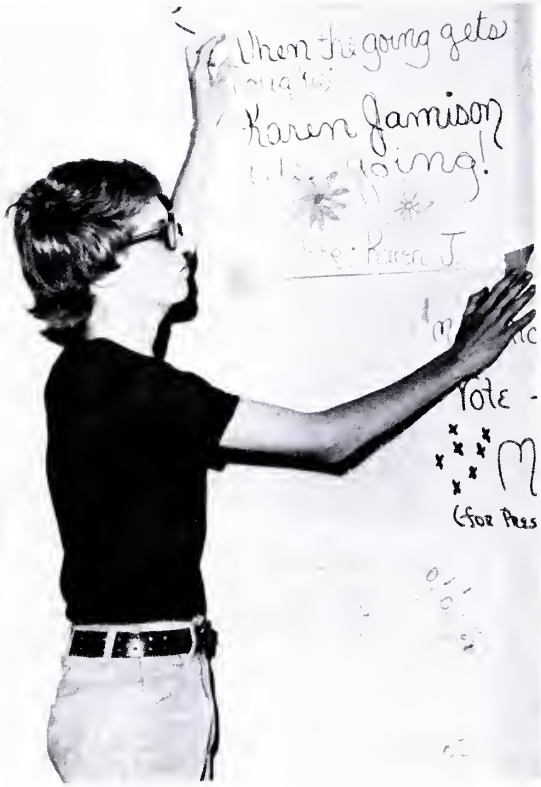
Then, things, and people, began to change.

Friends went down many different roads.

'72-'73 Will Always Be Remembered . . .

The parties,

the good times,



the work,

the jokes,

the dreams in our hearts.

We say good-by with tears

To friends new and old.

Despite the arguments,

the misunderstandings,

the tests,

and the general "riff-raff".

We all know that here at CHS . . .

You've Got A Friend

Now that the winter's come and [illegible]
Now that the summer's comin' on we'll [illegible]
We're not the first men or the last
who have had a thirst to leave the past
So while the spring rain is falling we'll say good-by[illegible]

For every star that falls to earth a new one glows.
For every dream that fades away a new one grows.
When things are not what they [illegible]
we must keep following our dreams
So while our hearts are still believing we'll [illegible]-bye.

Friendship is a sweet thing caught a [illegible]
and held in a golden eye.
We can borrow but never own it
after a while it says good-bye.

Hea[illegible] to turn [illegible]ood-bye.
But a[illegible] so [illegible] we'll say go[illegible].
Cage a[illegible] will not sing
No one can be caged by a ring.
So while the chilly wind is blowi[illegible] say good-bye.

So as the fall says hello we'll [illegible]ood-bye.
We never did like the snow [illegible]ay good-b[illegible]
We're just men and nothing [illegible]
in the face of [illegible] we'll [illegible].
[illegible] another [illegible] call[illegible]y good-bye.

[illegible] Ruben Auen

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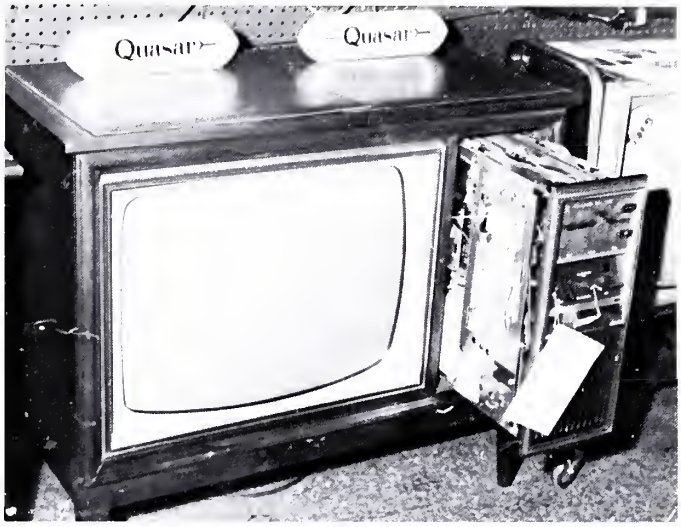

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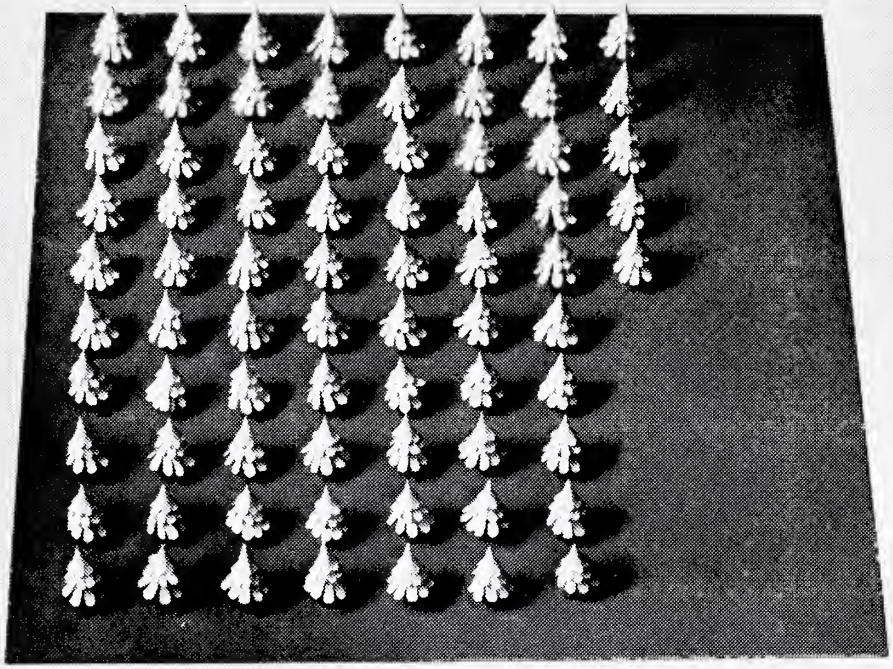

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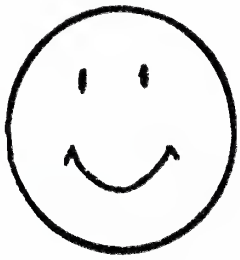

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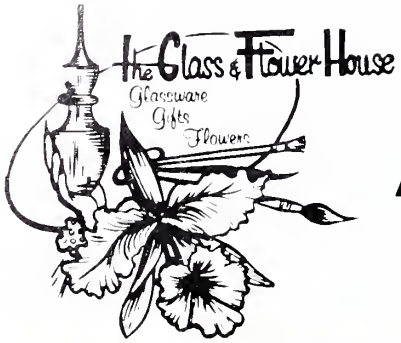

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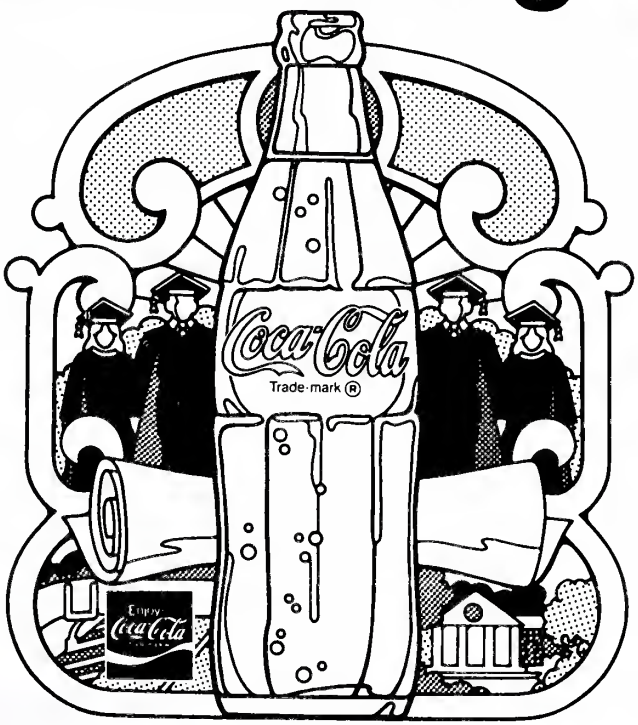

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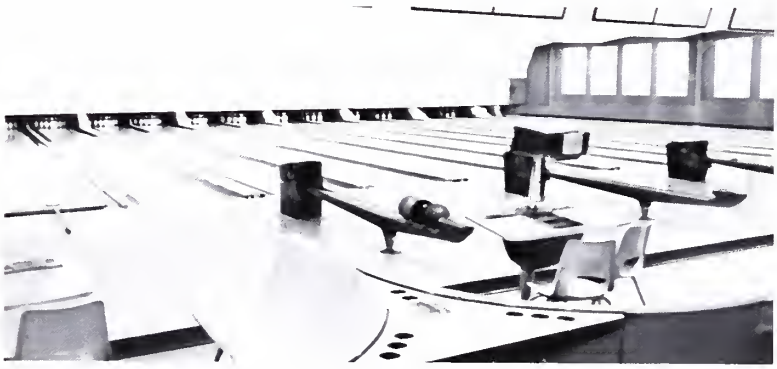

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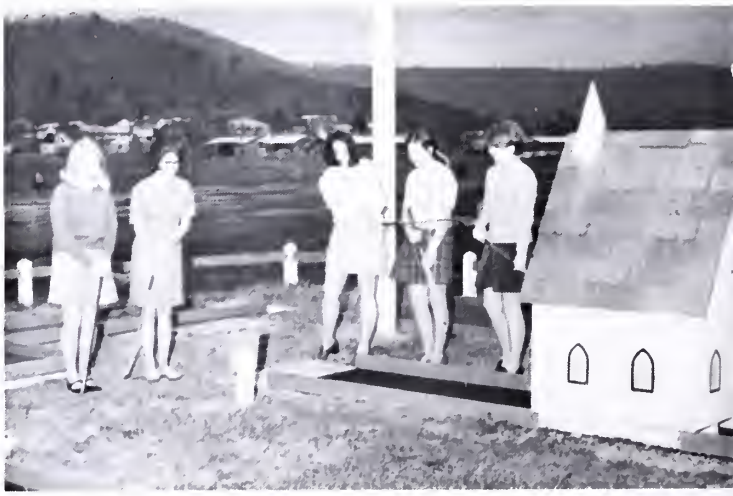

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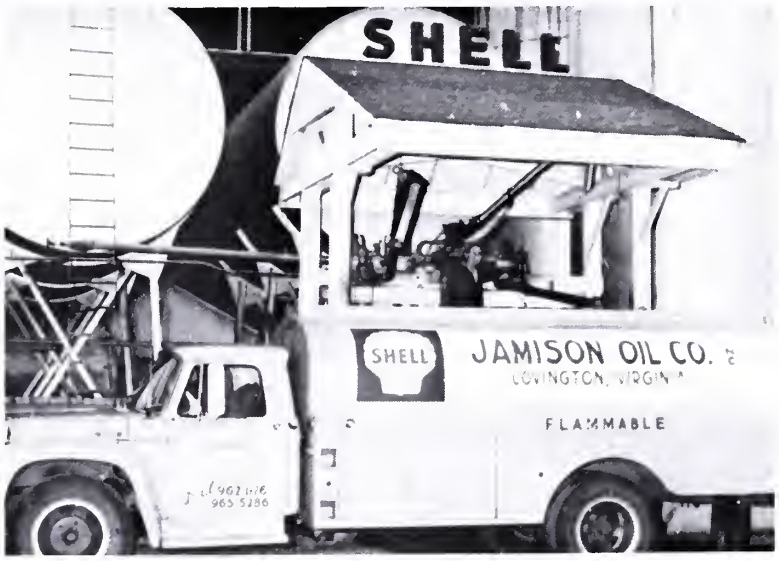

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